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SEALED TENDERS will be received by the Agent at his office at Victoria Terminus, Bombay upto 3 p.m. (S.T.) on Wednesday, 10th February, 1926, for the supply of 75 tons, 8 feet and up x 5" x 5/8" full, Burma Teak Boards, Machine cut from well seasoned selected timber with square edges and all surfaces accurately machined, free from knots, cracks, shakes, worm holes, warping and all other defects.

NOTE.—The thickness of these boards as supplied shall be such that they will clean upon re-machining to the finished size of 5/8".

Delivery to be completed by 31st March, 1926.

2. No special forms of tender will be issued, tenderers should tender on their own form or by letter, and envelopes containing the tender should be clearly marked "TENDER FOR THE SUPPLY OF TIMBER."

3. A sum of Rs. 1,000 must be deposited with and sent direct to the Cashier, G.I.P. Railway, Victoria Terminus, Bombay, as earnest money, at the time of submitting tenders, without which no tender will be considered. The deposit must be in cash or currency notes only on which no interest will be allowed.

4. The successful tenderer will be required to enter into an agreement and deposit as security a sum equal to 10 per cent. of the value of the order (subject to a maximum of Rs. 10,000). This deposit must be wholly in cash (on which no interest will be allowed) or wholly in Government Paper, the market value of which is equal to the deposit required, and it will be liable to forfeiture in case of failure to fulfil the terms and conditions of the agreement.

5. The result of the tender will be published in the Indian Trade Journal, Calcutta.

6. The undersigned does not bind himself to accept the lowest tender, the whole of a tender or any tender.

R. MCLEAN,
Agent.
G. I. P. Railway.

PUBLIC NOTICES.

UNIVERSITY OF BOMBAY.

CONFERRING OF DEGREES AT THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE SENATE.

CANDIDATES, who have applied for admission to degrees in person at the Annual Meeting of the Senate to be held on Saturday, the 30th January, 1926, are requested to be in attendance at the University Convocation Hall in their academic costume on that day at 2 p.m. instead of at 3 p.m. as announced in the University Notification, dated the 16th November, 1925. The ceremony of conferring degrees will begin punctually at 3 p.m.

By Order,
FARDUNJI M. DASTUR,
University Registrar.
Bombay, 23rd January 1926.
C24931

NOTICE.

WE beg to inform the Public that S. S. SYKES, who was in our service as Canvasser and Salesman, is no longer in our employment.

WARDEN & CO.,
Sole Agents in India for
Underwood Typewriters.
24950

WANTED

WANTED.—A B.A. B.T. or an experienced B.A., as an Assistant Teacher for the Municipal High School, Jambusar. Pay Rs. 115 to Rs. 145. Yearly increment Rs 10. Apply to the undersigned stating experience and second language.

KHAN SAHIB.
D. AARON,
Chairman School Board,
Jambusar Municipality.
24942

EUROPEAN ASSOCIATION.

(Bombay Branch).

MUNICIPAL ELECTION.

IT IS HEREBY NOTIFIED that the following two gentlemen are standing as Candidates for "A" Ward at the forthcoming Municipal election:—Mr. J. R. C. BADHAM, Manager, Motor Union Insurance Company, Ltd., and Mr. W. H. HAMMOND, M.A., Principal, Cathedral High School.

J. ADDYMAN,
Vice Chairman.
24758

NOTICE.

APPLICATIONS ARE INVITED for the Post of SUPERINTENDENT OF POLICE, Cambay State. Pay rising from Rs. 250 per mensem to Rs. 350, with Rs. 50 permanent travelling allowance. Persons who have served in positions of responsibility need only apply, stating age, qualifications, etc.

Applications should reach the ADMINISTRATOR, Cambay, before the 10th February, 1926. C24904

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(3) G. I. P. RAILWAY INSTITUTE, PAREL.

Agents:—Messrs. E. D. SASSOON & CO., LTD.
24835

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo per Osaka Shosen Kaisha's steamer "BORNEO MARU" are hereby informed of the steamer's arrival on the 29th of January from Japan, Hongkong, Singapore, Penang and Colombo and are requested to send their Bills of Lading to this office for counter-signature without delay. No survey will be held on cargo damaged or in doubtful condition unless a written application is received by the undersigned within seven days after the date of discharge and for cargo in bags within three days after discharge. No survey will be held on bag cargo in single gunny. Messrs. Ericson & Richards, Company's Surveyor will be attending Docks every morning to survey damages. Cargo removed from the Landing Shed or warehoused is not entitled to survey. The Bills for Claims are requested to send this office within one month from the date of steamer's arrival otherwise they will not be entertained.

MANAGER,

the Drama and a 2-Reel Comedy,

The Programme includes a Comedy. TO-NIGHT . 3-30 ; 5-30 ; 7 ; 8-45 and 10-30 p. m. (S. T.)

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LEGAL NOTICES.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF BOMBAY.

IN INSOLVENCY NO. 150 OF 1926.

Re: ABUBAKAR ABDUL KARIM, a firm, lately carrying on business as Bullion Merchants at Shaik Memon Street, outside the Fort of Bombay ..... Adjudged Insolvents.

Ex parte: SHIVDAYAL BRIJMOHAN, a firm ..... Petitioning Creditors.

WHEREAS the abovenamed Abubakar Abdul Karim, a firm, have been this day duly adjudged to have committed acts of Insolvency under Section IX of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909 (III of 1909). It is ordered that all the estate and effects of the said Insolvents do vest in the Official Assignee of this Honourable Court, and it is further ordered that the said Insolvents do, immediately after the service of the order of adjudication upon them, attend the Office of the said Official Assignee.

Dated this 26th day of January, 1926.

K. A. BHOJWANI,
Chief Clerk.

Chief Clerk's Office, High Court, Bombay, this 27th January, 1926.

24948

HIGH COURT,

O. O. C. J.

Suit No. 2633 of 1925.

NENSUKHDAS SHIVNARAYEN, a firm ..... Plaintiffs.

vs

BIRAJLAL BHAVANIRAM and Others ..... Defendants.

To,

KANAIYALAL BIRAJLAL
and
BALMUKUND BIRAJLAL, the 4th and 5th defendants herein.

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the hearing of the above suit not stands adjourned from the 26th instant to the 9th proximo.

Dated this 30th day of January, 1926.

Yours truly,
Messrs. MADHAVJI AND CO.,
Plaintiffs' Attorneys.

C24949

NOTICE.

OFFERS ARE INVITED for purchase of a valuable property consisting of ground floor and four upper floors with two tenements on each floor, situate at Girgaum Road, opposite the Parsi Anjuman New Fire Temple, containing 503 5/9 square yards, bearing New Survey No. 33, Municipal C Ward Nos. 1959 to 1962, Street Nos. 49, 51 to 57 and 1, together with the benefit of the Agreement with the Bombay Improvement Trust for constructing shops along the New Road, already constructed to the North of the property and for constructing a building on the site, lying to the South of the property.

Full particulars of the property together with particulars of payments to be made to the Improvement Trust will be obtained at the Office of Messrs. LITTLE & CO. in the Central Bank Building, Esplanade Road, Fort, Bombay.

Dated this 26th day of January, 1926.

LITTLE & CO.,
Solicitors for the Owners.

C24894

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that ABRAHAM SHALLOME and NATHAN ABRAHAM SHIRGAOKER, of Bombay, Bene-Israel Inhabitants, the two surviving Trustees under a Deed of Settlement dated the 21st day of March, 1903, and the said Abraham Shallome and Shallome Benjamin of Bombay Bene-Israel Inhabitants, the beneficiaries under the said Indenture of Settlement have contracted to sell absolutely to our client the property described in the schedule hereunder written.

Any person having any claim, right, title and interest by way of inheritance, mortgage charge, gift, maintenance, survivorship, lease lien, or otherwise howsoever in the said hereditaments and premises should make the same known in writing to the undersigned at their address at Cook's building, Hornby Road, Fort, within 14 days from the date hereof, otherwise the sale will be completed without reference to such claim if any such exist and such claim, if any, shall be deemed to have been waived.

DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY.

All that piece or parcel of Fazandari land, situate at Umarkhady in the Registration District and Sub-District of Bombay, containing by admeasurement 177 square yards or thereabouts registered in the Books of the Collector of Land Revenue under New Survey No. 3646, Cadastral Survey No. 1947 Mandvi Division and assessed by the Assessor and Collector of Municipal Rates and Taxes under B Ward No. 3503, Street No. 9, Umarkhady First Road and bounded on or towards the North by Umarkhady First Road, on or towards the South Partly by property belonging to Mannaseh Joseph Ezekiel and Joseph Ezekiel Rahamin and partly by property belonging to Simon Reuben, on or towards the East by Umarkhady First Road and on or towards the West by the property of Samuel Aaron Awasker.

Dated this 25th day of January, 1926.

PATELL & CO.
Purchaser's Attorneys.

C 24912

LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that CHOGA GODAJI, of Bombay Jain Hindu Inhabitant, has contracted to sell the undermentioned property to our clients ISMAILBHOY M. BANATWALLA and DAWOODBHAI M. BANATWALLA free from all incumbrances.

All persons having any claim against or to the said property by way of inheritance, mortgage, sale, gift, exchange, possession, lien, lease, charge, trust, maintenance, easement or otherwise howsoever are hereby required to make the same known in writing to the undersigned at their Office in Oriental Buildings, Hornby Road, Fort, Bombay, within 14 days from the date hereof, otherwise the sale will be completed without reference to such claim and the same, if any, will be considered as waived.

SCHEDULE OF THE PROPERTY.

All that piece or parcel of land or ground of the quit and ground rent with the messuage, tenement or dwelling house standing thereon, situate at Mutton Street in the Island and in the Registration Sub-district of Bombay and containing by admeasurement 180 square yards or thereabouts be the same a little more or less and registered by the Collector of Land Revenue under Old No. 1483, and 1484, New No. 8641, Old Survey No. 1105-1104 and New Survey No. 4206 and Cadastral Survey No. 4162 of the Bhuleshwar Division and assessed by the Assessor and Collector of the Bombay Municipality under C Ward No. 7137, Street No. 183-185-187 and bounded as follows that is to say, on or towards the North by the property of Vandravan Vrajlal, on or towards the West by the Sweeper's passage, on or towards the South by the property of Maherali Mahomed Khan and on or towards the West by the said Mutton Street.

H. R. SAYANI,
for Messrs. Vrajlal & Co.,
Purchasers' Attorneys.

Bombay, dated this 30th day of January, 1926.

C24928

AUCTION SALES

BENNETT & CO.

180, Apollo Street, Fort.

WEEKLY AUCTION SALE.

THIS DAY, SATURDAY, the 30th instant at 3-30 p.m. (S. T.) Messrs. BENNETT & CO., will sell by Public Auction at their rooms a quantity of grey and coloured piece-goods, etc.

Under instructions from N. H. Moos Esqr., Official Liquidator, The Bir Ginning and Pressing Co., Ltd., (in Liquidation)

One small Iron Safe on stand and one Mehta Box.

Under instructions from N. H. Moos Esqr. Received in Suit No. 2976 of 1923 (Laxmivahoo vs. Monghivahoo):—

One lot wooden rafters, planks, and odd pieces of wood, etc., etc.

On account of the Underwriters.

30 Pairs Bed Sheets and 1 Pillow.

AT 2-30 P.M. (S. T.)

1 second-hand rubber-tyred victoria.
1 second-hand rubber-tyred vis-a-vis.
1 second-hand rubbed-tyred brougham.
1 second-hand rubber-tyred office shigram.
1 Bay Arab horse in harness.
1 Waler horse in harness.
By order of the concerned:—
1 "Humber" motor car.

BONAFIDE SALE

FURNITURE SALE AT MITHA MANSION, NEPEAN SEA ROAD.

TO-MORROW, SUNDAY, the 31st instant at 3 p.m. (S.T.) Messrs. BENNETT & CO., are instructed to sell by Public Auction at Mitha Mansion, Nepean Sea Road, very valuable and handsome made-to-order dining, drawing, verandah and bell-room furniture, made-to-order, automatic dining table, arm and without arm chairs, mirror back sideboard and dumb-waiters, drawing room, Chesterfield suites, writing tables, glass door book-cases, single bedsteads, almyrahs, cloths and gown presses, dressing and washhand tables, dressing chest of drawers, hat stands, ice-box, one Pathe phone, with educational model, electric motor, one "Davis" motor car in running order, newly painted, and overhauled 1922 model.

One "Buick" 1922, Model 7-seater, 6-cylinders, in running order newly painted and overhauled.

One "Clement Bayard" 4-seater touring car 15 H.P., 4 cylinder in very good order.

One Canoe shape Cabriolet with rubber-tyred wheels.

The property of L. G. Bash, Esquire of Messrs. Northern Aluminium Co. Ltd.

Catalogues are published and the property on view.

AUCTION SALE OF 28 BALES BLEACHED COTTON YARN OF DIFFERENT COUNTS.

By order of Messrs. Ormerods (India) Ltd., Messrs. BENNETT AND COY., will This Day, Saturday, the 30th instant sell by Public Auction at 3-30 p.m. (S.T.) at their rooms on account and risk of Mr. Sakalchand Khimchand, of Tamba, Kanta, Pydhownie:—

Indent Nos. 98, 97, 163, 99 Invoice Nos. 6/247, 6/294, 6/250 (4 bales 2/40S—9 bales 2/30S and 42 bales 2/42S)—15 bales bleached cotton yarn B.I.T. usual twist Two Elephant Ticket 30 bundles of 10 lbs. each.

Indent No. 169 Invoice No. 6/304 equal to 3 bales each 200 lbs. 60S Mule twist Black Cock (5 lbs. bundles).

Indent No. 259 Invoice Nos. 7/90, 7/95, 10 bales—2/30S American Grey Yarn B.I.T. usual twist Two Elephant Ticket (30 bundles of 10 lbs. each).

A deposit of 25 per cent. will be required at the time of sale.

BENNETT & CO.

AUCTION SALES.

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AUCTION SALE OF VALUABLE IMMOVEABLE PROPERTY SITUATE AT KUMBHARWADA IN NORTH BROOK STREET OTHERWISE KNOWN AS PORTUGUESE STREET.

Under instructions from Messrs. Manilal Haridas and Co., Attorneys for Mr. S. F. Captain, Messrs. J. S. MODY and Co. will on FRIDAY, the 5th day of February, 1926, at 4-30 p.m. (S.T.) sell by Public Auction at the premises, the undermentioned property described in Schedule "A" hereto together with the Machineries described in Schedule "B" hereto, pursuant to the Power of Sale vested in the Mortgagee dated 11th May 1925 and made between Jamnadas Ambaram of the one part and S. F. Captain of the other part.

DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY.

SCHEDULE "A".

FIRSTLY:—All that piece or parcel of land or ground of Sanad situate lying and being at North Brook Street or Portuguese Street without the Fort and within the Registration Sub-District of Bombay, containing by admeasurement 84 and 6/9 square yards or thereabouts according to old deeds and records but as now found to be 136 square yards and registered by the Collector of Land Revenue under Old Nos. 776 and 2985, New Nos. A/9928 and A/9929, Old Survey Nos. 1/347 and 4388, New Survey Nos. 2/5068 and 2/5069 and assessed by the Assessor and Collector of Municipal Rates and Taxes under C Ward No. 7784, Street Nos. 158-160 and bounded as follows:—that is to say on or towards the East by the said North Brook Street or Portuguese Street, on or towrads the West by a passage, on or towards the North by the property of Pacha Bara Kumbhar and on or towards the South by the property described secondly hereunder:—

SECONDLY:—All that piece or parcel of land or ground of quit and ground rent tenure situate lying and being at North Brook Street or Portuguese Street without the Fort and within the Registration Sub-District of Bombay containing by admeasurement and 4/9 square yards or thereabouts according to Old Deeds and Records but as now found to be 42 square yards and registered by the Collector of Land Revenue under Old Nos. 776 and 2985, New No. 9928, Old Survey Nos. 1/347 and 4338, New Survey No. 5068 and assessed by the Assessor and Collector of Municipal Rates and Taxes under "C" Ward No. 7783, Street Nos. 154-156 and bounded as follows.—that is to say on or towards the East by the said North Brook Street or Portuguese Street, on or towards the West by a passage, on or towards the North by the property described in the 1st Schedule above written and on or towards the South by the property of Mohanji Pranjivan.

SCHEDULE "B" REFERRED TO ABOVE LIST OF MACHINERY.

1 Power Press bearing No. 3½ by Messrs. Tailor Chailor.
1 Hydrolic Press with working Pump and case affixed thereby.
1 Cutting Press.
1 Hand Press for preparing trays
1 Electric Motor (15 H.P.) by Turner Hoar and Co.

Other Tools and implements in connection with the factory.

For further particulars and conditions of sale application may be made to Messrs. Manilal Haridas and Co., Attorneys for the Mortgagee at their office at 27-33, Meadows Strtet, Fort, or to the undersigned.

GOOD OPPORTUNITY TO INVESTORS.

AUCTION SALE OF VALUABLE IMMOVEABLE PROPERTIES SITUATE AT TARDEO ROAD WITHOUT THE FORT OF BOMBAY, NEAR THE ESTATE OF NOWROJI JEHANGIR GAMADIA.

Messrs. J. S. MODY and Co., Auctioneers, will on FRIDAY, the 12th day of February, 1926, at 4-30 p.m. (S.T.) sell on the premises in one lot by Public Auction the undermentioned property by order and under the instructions of the Transferees of an Indenture of Transfer of Mortgage dated the 1st day of March, 1923, and expressed to be made between Dr. Anandrao Keshavlal Dalal and Dr. Jadavji Hansraj Vaidya as Transferrors of the 1st part, Messrs. Husseinbhai Alibhai, Ismailji Abdul Hussein and Sulemanji Abdulhussein, as the Mortgagors of the 2nd part and the Transferrees of the 3rd part and on account and at the risk of the said Mortgagors Messrs. Husseinbhai Alibhai, Ismailji Abdulhussein and Sulemanji Abduljussein in exercise of the power of sale reserved to the said Transferrees of the Indenture of Mortgage dated 3rd day of May, 1920 and expressed to be made between the said Messrs. Husseinbhai Alibhai Ismailji Abdulhussein and Sulemanji Abdulhussein as the Mortgagors of the one part and the said Dr. Anandrao Keshavlal Dalal and Dr. Jadhavji Hansraj Paidya as the Mortgagees of the other part and in pursuance of the Consent Decree dated the 8th day of October 1925 in High Court Suit No. 1130 of 1925 in its Ordinary Original Civil Jurisdiction filed by Kashinath Vithoba Rajadhyaksh the second Mortgagee as the Plaintiff against the said Transferrees, the said Mortgagors and Goverdhandas Kaviram the third Mortgagee as the defendants.

DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY.

All that piece or parcel of 999 years leasehold land with structures thereon, situate on the West side of Tardeo Road in the Island and Registration District of Bombay, containing by admeasurement 6242 (six thousand and two hundred and forty-two) square yards or thereabouts and registered by the Collector of Bombay, under Old No. 301, New No. 2044, Old Survey No. 75 and New Survey No. 7092 and Cadastral Survey No. 778 Malabar Hill and Tardeo Division and assessed by the Assessor and Collector of Municipal Rates and Taxes under D Ward Nos. 3761(B), 3761 (1D), 3761(E-1A), 3761(1F) and 3761(1G), Street No. 530 Tardeo Road, and bounded on or towards the North by the property belonging to the estate of Nowroji Jehangir Gamadia, on or towards the East by Tardeo Road, on or towards the South by the property of Haji Abdulla Miya Khandwani and on or towards the West by the land acquired by the Collector of Bombay on behalf of the Government.

For further particulars and conditions of sale apply to Messrs. Forbes and Co., Attorneys for the said Transferrees of the Mortgage at their Office at No. 4, Motilal Mansion, 14, Hummum Street, Fort, Bombay, or to the undersigned.

J. S. MODY & Co.,
Auctioneers.

GANDHI & CO.

Auctioneers And Commission Agents

No. 72, Medows Street, Fort,

Telephone No. 24927.

RARE OPPORTUNITY TO CAPITALISTS TO INVEST THEIR CAPITAL IN A VERY VALUABLE IMMOVEABLE PROPERTY.

AUCTION SALE OF A VERY VALUABLE IMMOVEABLE PROPERTY SITUATE AT KALBADEVI ROAD, WITHOUT THE FORT OF BOMBAY.

Messrs. GANDHI AND CO., Auctioneers will under instructions from Messrs MADHAVJI & CO., Attorneys for the Mortgagees and on account and at the risk of Sheth Vallabhdas Jamnadas the Mortgagor in pursuance of the power of sale reserved to and vested in the Mortgagees under an Indenture of Mortgage, dated the 29th day of August, 1924, made between the Mortgagor of the one part and the Mortgagees of the other part, sell by Public Auction the undermentiond immoveable property on Thursday the 4th day of February, 1926, at 4-30 p.m. (S.T.) on the premises.

SCHEDULE OF THE PROPERTY.

All that piece or parcel of land or ground of the Pension and Tax Tenure together with the messuages tenements and buildings standing thereon situate lying and being at Kalbadevi Road without the Fort of Bombay and forming part of an oart called the Kolbhat Wadi in the Registration Sub-District of Bombay containing by admeasurement 1729 square yards or thereabouts and registered in the books of the Collector of Land Revenue under New No. 2432 and New Survey No. 125 and Cadastral Survey No. 893 in the Bhuleshwar Division and bounded as follows, that is to say, on or towards the East by the Kalbadevi Road, on or towards the North by the Kolbhat Wadi Lane on or towards the West by another property belonging to the Mortgagor on or towards the South partly by the property of Chhotalal Mulchand and partly by the property of Murarji Velji which said premises are assessed by the Assessor and Collector of Municipal Rates and Taxes under C. Ward No. 1813 (1) and Street Nos. 112, 114, 116 and C Ward Nos. 1812, 1814, and 1815 and Street Nos. 106, 108, 110, 1 and 2.

For further particulars and conditions of sale please apply to Messrs. Madhavji and Co., Attorneys for the Mortgagees at their office No. 33 Meadows Street, Fort, or to the undersigned.

SALE TO-DAY AT 4-30 P.M. (S. T.).

AUCTION SALE OF A VALUABLE IMMOVEABLE PROPERTY SITUATE AT MAHIM CUSTOM ROAD NOW CALLED CADELL ROAD, WITHOUT THE FORT OF BOMBAY.

Messrs. GANDHI and Co., Auctioneers will under instructions from Mr. Ramchandra Balkrishna Rawoot, the Mortgagee, and on account and at the risk of Oomar Haji and Kadar Kassum, the Mortgagors, in pursuance of the power of sale contained in the Deed of Mortgage, dated 10th June, 1924, made between the Mortgagors of the one part and the Mortgagee of the other part, sell by Public Auction the undermentioned Immoveable Property on SATURDAY, the 30th January, 1926, at 4-30 p.m. (S. T.) on the premises.

SCHEDULE OF PROPERTY.

All that piece or parcel of Perpetual Fazandari land or ground together with the messuage, tenement or dwelling house standing thereon, situate, lying and being at Mahim Custom Road, now called Cadell Road, without the Fort of Bombay, in the Registration Sub-District of Bombay, containing by admeasurement 162 square yards or thereabouts, assessed by the Assessor and Collector of Municipal Rates and Taxes under G Ward No. 5049 and Street No. 377, and forming part of the land bearing New Survey No. 9 and Cadastral Survey No. 930, Mahim Division, and bounded on the East by sweeper's passage, on the West by public passage called Lohar Chawl Road leading to Mahim Custom Road now called Cadell Road, on the North by the property of Noormahomed Khanbhai and on the South by the property of Vithal Kursondas.

For further particulars and conditions of sale pleas apply to Messrs. Sabnis Goregaonker and Senjit, Attorneys for the Mortgagee, at their office at Tamarind Lane, Fort, or to the undersigned.

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BONA-FIDE SALE.

SALE TO-DAY AT 3 P.M. (S. T.).

AUCTION SALE OF RICH JEWELLERY OF DIAMOND, PEARL AND RUBY, GOLD AND SILVER ORNAMENTS, EMBROIDERED WEARING APPARELS, FURNITURE, UTENSILS, ETC., ETC.

Under instructions from Messrs. Dallas and Co., Attorneys for Mr. Haji Alimahomed Haji Cassum and pursuant to the Consent Decree passed on the 14th day of October, 1925, by the Bombay High Court in suit No. 1314 of 1925, Messrs. CRAWFORD and Co., Auctioneers, will sell by Public Auction THIS DAY, SATURDAY, the 30th day of January, 1926, at 3 p.m. (S. T.) at their Rooms No. 122, Apollo Street, Fort, the following jewellery, furniture, utensils, articles and things belonging to the late Bai Fatmabai, wife of Mr. Dawood Haji Ajimahomed:—

Diamond necklace, bracelets, pearl and ruby necklaces, gold kadas, bangles, bracelets, ear-rings, rings, gold ruby buttons, gungris, silver flower vases, tea set, cups and saucers, glasses, embroidered wearing apperels, etc., etc.

and

Silk tapestry lined drawing room suit, silver show case, dressing table with side-mirror, silk tapestry lined reclining sofa, glass top teapoy, silk tapestry lined sewing carpet, zoonda, cupboard, Delhi and Moradabad, as well as brass and copper utensils, etc., etc.

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13 ,,	RANPURA ..		16,585
20 ,,	RAZMAK ..	MALWA* ..	10,941
27 ,,	RAJPUTANA ..		16,109
6 Mar.	CHINA ..	MALOJAx ..	20,837
13 ,,	RAWALPINDI ..		16,100
20 ,,	RAZMAK o ..	..	16,602
27 ,,	RANCHI ..		16,650
31 ,,	CHINA† ..		7,952
3 April	NALDERAx ..	..	15,993
10 ,,	KAISAR I-HIND ..		11,430
17 ,,	RAZMAK ..	MOREA* ..	10,919
24 ,,	RANPURA ..		16,585
1 May	RAZMAK ..	NARKUNDAx ..	16,227
8 ,,	RAJPUTANA ..		16,109
15 ,,	RAZMAK ..	MACEDONIA ..	11,080
22 ,,	RAWALPINDI ..		16,100
29 ,,	RAZMAK ..	MOOLTAN ..	20,847
5 June	CHINA ..		7,952
12 ,,	RAZMAK ..	MALWA* ..	10,941
19 ,,	KAISAR-I-HIND ..		11,430
26 ,,	RAZMAK ..	MALOJAx ..	20,837

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1926		
29th Jan.	WARFIELD* ..	6,060
8th Feb.	GHARINDA* ..	5,306
22nd Feb.	GOLCONDA* ..	5,316
25th Mar.	DOMALA ..	8,441
8th April	MARGHA ..	8,278
29th April	DUMANA ..	8,427
20th May	WARFIELD* ..	6,060
10th June	Cargo Steamer ..	

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8th Feb.	NALGORA*	China & Japan.
12th ,,	MASULA* ..	China & Japan.
19th ,,	JEYPORE* ..	China & Japan.
25th ,,	MURISTAN* ..	China & Japan.
28th ,,	LAHORE* ..	China & Japan.
2nd Mar.	DELTA .. connecting at Colombo with NARKUNDA ..	Straits, China, Japan. For Australia.
7th ,,	ALIPORE* ..	China & Japan.
28th ,,	MIRZAPORE* ..	China & Japan.
1st Apl.	MOOLTAN ..	Colombo and Australia
11th ,,	NAGPORE* ..	China & Japan.

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1926			
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Bombay, Jan. 29.

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6 per cent. Bonds (Tax Free) due 1932, Rs. 105/6.
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4 per cent. Improvement Trust due 1974 Rs. 75.
6 per cent. Municipal due 1929-49 Rs. 101.
Tone of market:—Firm.

London, Jany. 28.

The Bank of England Returns for the week ending yesterday show the following results:

Total Bullion £144,200,000 Inc. £500,000
Public Deposits £22,500,000 Inc. £3,100,000
Other Deposits £101,300,000 Dec. £7,310000
Govt. Securities £45,600,000 Dec. £300,000
Other Securities £74,000,000 Dec. £4,400,000
Notes & Gold £22,500,000 Inc. £100,000
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SHARES.

London, Jany. 28.

Hongkong Bank £127 1/2.
Chartered Bank £21 3/8.
National Bank £47.
P. and O. Bank £9 1/4.
Eastern Bank £6.

SUGAR MARKET.

Bombay, Jan. 29.

The demand for ready sugar continues good and with small stocks at hand prices have been advanced by two to four annas per cwt. all round. Foreign markets reported steadier throughout the week and a good business was done in all sorts of sugars viz. BRB February March at 16s 4d to 16s 5d, Belgian granulated January at 16s 6d to 16s 8d and British refined shipt. within 1st week of February at 16s 1d all Free Bombay Harbour terms. A large quantity of White Javas was done amongst dealers in January March shipt. at 16s 6d to 16s 10d F B H all short covering.

Karachi and Calcutta reported steady markets with fair business doing. Java ruled steadier during the week and good business has been reported in New Crop Sugars Trust have increased the price for New Crop by quarter gilder. American granulated was offered at 16s 9d but no business has been done. Mauritius crystals are offered sparingly at 16s 9d but no buyers in face of other cheap sugars. London and America ruled steady, during the week with small fluctuating and good business doing. We consider present prices are top and recommend selling.

The following are the bazar rates and stocks:—

T M O Rs. 17 eq. 17s 6d F B Harbour stocks 50,000 bags.
T M O January/March 16s 10d F B Harbour.
T M O June 15s 9d F B Harbour.
T M O July/September 15s 5d F B Harbour.
B R B Rs. 17 eq. 17s 2d F B Harbour stocks 5,000 bags.
B R B February/March 16s 2d F B Harbour.
S S Sunbeath arrived from Java with 63,584 bags.

JAVA SUGAR.

London, Jany. 28.

Fine White Japa C. and F. Calcutta:—
July/Sept. Sellers 15/3 3/4.
Oct/Decr. Sellers 15/5 1/4.
Fine White Java C. and F. Bombay:—
July/Sept. Sellers 15/6 1/4.
Fine White Java C. and F. Karachi:—
July/Sept. Sellers 15/7.
Tone:—Quiet.

LINSEED.

Linseed Calcutta Pure Basis Bags:—
J/F. Sellers £17 5/8.
A/M. Done £17 1/8. Quiet but steady.
Raw Linseed Oil Naked Spot Net:—
Jan/Apl. Paid 29 1/2.
May/Aug. Paid 30.

RUBBER.

London, Jany. 28.

Para Up River Fine, Spot Feb/Mar 33. Quiet.
Tone:—Quiet.
Plantation First Latex Crepe, Spot:—
Buyers 33 1/2; Sellers 33 3/4.
Tone:—Firmer, fair business.

BARLEY.

London, Jany. 28.

Karachi Barley:—Not quoted.

FREIGHT OF COAL.

London, Jan. 28.

Cardiff to Bombay 14.

BOMBAY MARKETS

WEEKLY REVIEW.

COTTON.

WEEKLY REVIEW.

FOREIGN MARKETS.

During the week under review Home markets have been fluctuating but on the whole show a small decline both in Liverpool and New York as compared with a week ago. Early the market was easier. In the middle of the week the prices improved on short covering. At the close the market was steady.

The American market has continued its dull and uninteresting progress during the past week and values show but little variation to those ruling when last we wrote. Business has been scarcer than ever and dealings are confined to the smallest dimensions, whilst outside interest is practically non-existant. There is not sufficient buying power at the moment to carry on the upward movement, whilst the large supply of actual cotton brings out fresh hedging on advances. The tone, however, is steady, and with any increased trade activity we look for a gradual appreciation.

The current level of prices is quite unattractive to either the "Bull" or "Bear", and the market chiefly sways under the influence purely of the supply and demand, which practically offset one another. Personally, it seems that there is nothing likely to interrupt the present state of affairs until the influences of preparations for the next crop come into sight. It is at present far too early to express any ideas as to the next American acreage, but in view of the low prices now ruling the farmers will restrict their sowings in anticipation of securing a more remunerative price.

The only outstanding occurrence of the week was the issuance on Saturday last of a further instalment of the Ginning Returns, to which we refered in our last circular, and which were made up to 15th of the present month. Expectations had centred round a figure of about 15 3/4 million bales, so consequently the actual document showing as it did a total of 15,488,000 bales was considered somewhat on the low side.

The comparative firmness displayed by nearer months has inspired greater confidence in the soundness of current rates. Rumours are current that there is going to be a squeeze in the March position in New York. It is understood that a large interest is held there by prominent spot houses, and the rapid manner in which tenders on the January position were absorbed, with a distinct increase in strength, is by no means a reassuring feature for those who have commitments on the short side in March. The very large proportion of low grades and the comparative scarcity of better qualities is responsible for this position, and considerable uncertainty is felt as to the course of events in this option on the New York Exchange.

Trade reports from Manchester have during the week witnessed a quiet state of affairs, and although we are informed that there is still a fair amount of business wanting to be done, the great stumbling block has been lack of confidence. Despite the comparatively low level of prices and the plentiful supply of the raw material it is difficult to understand why trade has been apathetic, but we are inclined to believe that customers are still sceptical of the safety of present prices and consequently they are holding off with the idea of getting in on still lower prices.

Broadly speaking, we do not look for runaway markets in the near future and think that far quick profits the straddle-buying nearer months and selling distant old crop positions in New York—looks attractive. At the same time we regard purchases of new crop options round current levels as presenting a good deal of attraction to those who have patience and are prepared to be out of pocket perhaps for a short while.

As regards the local market there is nothing of importance to report beyond the fact that heavy commitments for shipment this month are now over. The volume of fresh business being put through for export remains limited, but notwithstanding this fact there does not appear to us to be any room for a decline, and should such develop, we would consider it safe to operate on the Bull side as we look for a more favourable level of prices later in the season.

The following were the changes in the Home markets as compared with last week:

New York March last week 20.17; this week 20.15 minus 2.

New York May last week 19.62; this week 19.58 minus 4.

New York July last week 19.00; this week 18.95 minus 5.

New York October last week 18.22; this week 18.20 minus 2

Liverpool March last week 10.35; this week 10.20 minus 15.

Liverpool May last week 10.24; this week 10.09 minus 15.

Liverpool July last week 10.10; this week 9.94 minus 16.

Liverpool October last week 9.74; this week 9.61 minus 13.

LOCAL FORWARD MARKET.

Fully Good Broach April/May opened on the 22nd instant at Rs. 356½ and advancing by a rupee eased to Rs. 353½ on selling by Offices. Again touching Rs. 357 the market declined to Rs. 344½ on selling by Commission and Japanese Houses and Shroffs, but again recovered to Rs. 354½ on buying by Offices and Shroffs and closed on the 28th instant at Rs. 352.

Fine Oomra March opened on the 22nd instant at Rs. 332 and improving to Rs. 334 eased to Rs. 330 on Commission Houses and Shroffs selling. Going up from this level to Rs. 332½ the market gave way to Rs. 323 on selling by Commission and Japanese Houses, but again improved to Rs. 337½ on buying by Exporters and closed at Rs. 334½ on the 28th instant. Whilst May Oomra opened at Rs. 321½ and gradually declined to Rs. 323 on general selling. From this level the market advanced to Rs. 335 on Exporters and general buying and closed on the 28th instant at Rs. 331½. Bengal March opened on the 22nd instant at Rs. 284 and closed on the 28th instant at Rs. 280½ the highest being Rs. 285 and the lowest Rs. 274. Whilst May opened at Rs. 284½ and closed at Rs. 282½ the highest being Rs. 287 and the lowest Rs. 276.

PIECEGOODS.

It is not possible to record any improvement in the Cloth market, and another blank week has been experienced. The turnover has been very unsatisfactory in the absence of demand. Hopes had been entertained in all quarters for a good demand by this time of the season, but so far there is no sign of any activity on the part of buyers. Although prices have almost touched the bottom here, buyers are still nervous and seem to be chary to purchase at current rates, and prefer to wait and watch further developments to be on the safe side. The heavy losses incurred by the dealers since the last few years have made them ever cautious. Some importing firms, who had bought their standard goods on their own account, have also not faired well, and are obliged to restrict their business to to bona-fide indents.

Grey Shirtings of Manchester make have been nominally steady at the lower level; but without attracting the attention of buyers. Grey Jaconets have been easier by an anna per piece all-round. Liepmann's White Shirtings No. 1500 have been gradually declining in value, the price for spot goods being Rs. 21-8-0 and for goods to arrive shortly Rs. 21. White Mulls have hardly shown any change. Tape bordered Nainsooks have been easier by five annas per piece.

The tone of the Manchester market has been described by Reuter's telegram as active with encouraging sales and fair turnover. This accounts for the firmer quotations received during the week. Merchants are, however, not anxious to do fresh business for deliveries during the months of the monsoon, and this has been a hitch in the way of business. The prices now ruling for American yarns are below the cost of production. The spot price in Liverpool for American yarn touched 9.71d. on 21st December last, the lowest for nearly four years; and that of Egyptian yarn 16.50d. on 23rd December, being the lowest price during the last year. Being assured of a good crop this season, the fluctuations in prices will depend much on the amount of consumption, which is the only factor that is uncertain.

Local Mill Cloth values have been nominally steady. Fancies and checks have been in good demand but grey cloths have been neglected. The Khatao Mills which was to close down from 1st February next will continue to work as usual as a result of the compromise with the workers. No fresh sales have been reported so far.

The quotations for the leading chops of Grey and Whites are as under:—

GREY SHIRTINGS—

Rall's	Fari Noi 2000	37⅜/38	10	12 0
„	100,000	..45× „ ..	12	12 0
„	No. 33,000	..45× „ ..	10	0 0
„	No. 2800	..37× „ ..	8	8 0
„	No. 4545	..38×38 ..	10	8 0
„	No. 15000	..44×38 ..	10	8 0
„	No. 16000	.. „ ..	11	0 0
„	No. 17000	.. „ ..	11	8 0
Graham's	No. 2730	..39 „ ..	10	12 0
„	No. 2750	..45 „ ..	12	12 0
Dewhursts	BBB	..38×38 1/2..	17	8 0
„	BB	..38×38 1/2..	15	8 0
„	Rupee No. 5	..38×38 1/2..	14	0 0
Ritchie's	No. 510	..39×37 1/2/38	10	12 0
Lyon's	Shunker	..39× „ ..	10	12 0
Fleming's	1904-1906	45,48,51×38	16	8 0

GREY DRILLS—

Pepperell's	Dragon	29×40 Net	19	0 0
Ralli's	Musjid No. 425	26×40	..	

WHITE JACONETS.

Ralli's	No. 18	..45×22 ..	6	7 0
„	No. 18	..40×22 ..	5	11 0
„	No. 138	..40×22 ..	5	3 0
„	No. 636	..44×22 ..	5	11 0

WHITE SHIRTINGS—

Liepmann's	No. 1500	32×42 ..	21	8 0
H. B. T. C.	40000	..36×40 ..	25	0 0
Ralli's	No. 9889	..33×40 ..	17	8 0

WHITE MULLS.

Ralli's	No. 6	..41×19 ..	7	8 0
„	No. 60	..46×19 ..	8	4 0
„	No. 600	..51×19 ..	9	0 0
„	No. 6000	..56×19 ..	10	8 0
„	No. 88	..58×20 ..	6	12 0
„	No. 1270	..27×18 ..	3	2 0
„	No. 166	..39×20 ..	7	4 0
„	No. 818	..39×20 ..	7	6 0
„	No. 1440	..36×20 ..	4	12 0
„	No. 1703	..52×20 Net	15	0 0
„	No. 224	..44×20 ..	7	4 0
Rtchiei's	No. 1260	27×18 ..	3	2 0
„	No. 119	..37×18 ..	4	0 0
„	No. 229	..42×18 ..	4	8 0
„	No. 339	..47×18 ..	5	0 0
„	1K-4K38",43"48"53×18	Avg.	6	0 0
„	No. 95	..58×20 ..	6	10 0
„	No. 66999	..40×18 ..	5	8 0
„	No. 86999	..40×18 ..	6	0 0
„	No. 775	..40×18 ..	6	0 0
„	No. 875	..45×18 ..	6	8 0
„	No. 975	..50×18 ..	7	0 0
„	No. 615	..50×18 ..	7	0 0
Graham's	Balloon	..58×20 ..	6	10 0
Flemings	No. 8080	..26×18 ..	2	12 0

WHITE NAINSOOKS—

Ralli's	No. 7070 9090	27×18 ..	3	14 0
„	Np. 61-81	.. „ ..	3	10 0
„	No. 1850	.. „ ..	2	10 0
„	No. 1900	.. „ ..	2	12 0
„	No. 2600	.. „ ..	2	14 0
„	No. 21021	.. „ ..	3	0 0
„	No. 39620 T.N.	38×22 ..	5	7 0
Graham's	Nos. 88-8888	28×18 ..	4	3 0
„	No. 95950-97970	..		
„	Saraswati	36×18 ..	7	4 0
„	TipooW/WWW	34×18.	4	12 0
„	No. 50000	.. ..	5	4 0
„	No. 33340/33350/33360		5	12 0
Lyon's	No. 4545-5656			
	6767	..26×18 ..	3	8 0
Greaves'	No. 8000 T.B.	33+22	..	
Ritchie's	Nos. 3500-4510			
	5520	..26×18 ..	3	8 0
S.W. and Co's.	Nos. 5800-			
	5820 "Motor Car"	..	3	8 0

The above quotations are on Bazaar terms with discount of three and a half per cent on Grey and four per cent on White Goods.

JAPANESE GREY CLOTHS—

No.	666 Shirtings	..38×38	..Net	10 0 0
„	2500 Shirtings	36×40	.. „	15 12 0
„	5151 „	..44×38	.. „	12 8 0
„	4141 „	..44×38	.. „	10 12 0
„	5544 „	..44×38	.. „	10 12 0
„	3800 „	..44×38	.. „	16 8 0
"C"	Sheetings	..30×36	Ex. Bond	9 8 0
9"	Dragons	..30×36	Ex. Bond	9 8 0
"Elephant"	Drills	29×40	.. „	10 12 0
"Duck"	Drills	26×40	.. „	14 12 0

YARN MARKET.

January 28.

Since our last the position in general remains quite unchanged and the bulk of business during the week under review has been considerably reduced so far as the Indian yarns are concerned. In spite of very steady cotton, the continued absence of demand has produced a distinctly easy feeling and dealers have got so much tired of waiting and waiting that they have shown readiness to sell their holdings even at lower rates and they are not inclined to effect fresh purchases although some specially low rates have been offered to them for large quantities. Up-country reports are yet very poor and it is repored that the up-country mills have been selling their productions at rates which are very low and at that level it is almost impossible for the Bombay Mills to compete with them. China, Rangoon and all other markets have not been giving any satisfactory response and in spite of lower rates offered to them the quantities they desire to purchase are very small. There is absolute loss of confidence on the part of the dealers and they are passing very anxious times.

English Yarns:—Inquiries have increased for Water Twist in 32s and 40s as well as for twofold yarns but prices on the other side are much higher and the actual business booked is not very large. However, prices in Manchester are lowered to the extent of about 3 to 5 per cent. in many cases some further business will be possible.

Japanese Yarns:—There is an increased Turnover in this class of yarn for ready as well as for forward deliveries and prices in many cases have been showing some signs of improvement. Business in Mercerised yarns has been rather brisk and in the Local markets shipments as far as June are being exchanged among the dealers themselves very freely. In case of single and twofold yarns prices have remained steady but some improvement seems to be possible before long. Exchange and Sampin have remained steady at about the last weeks' level.

Indian Yarns:—Mills have been experiencing a great difficulty in finding out buyers for their yarns at rates remunerative to them. The slack demand has been responsible for this very dull state of affairs in Indian Yarns and the dealers have been buying small lots at very cut prices. The position is not at all healthy and it is reported that some of the mills are very eager sellers even at rates which result into slight loss to them. Business has been done during the week for about 1,000 bales in Coarse counts from No. 2 to No. 6½s at rates about ¼ of an anna less per lb. than the last week. Consuming centres report a very dull Trade and the offtake is not satisfactory.

The general tone is still not very hopeful but if cotton continues to keep steady confidence may be derived and some more business will be possible before long.

BIHAR AND ORISSA COUNCIL

At to-day's meeting of the Bihar and Orissa Legislative Council Rai Bahadur Dwarkanath withdrew his resolution demanding transfer of the control of colleges at Patna to the University with a view to the establishment of a teaching university at Patna and the amendment of the Patna University Act, if necessary.—A.P.

OFFICIAL AND PERSONAL.

Delhi.—The Viceroy held his final investiture at Viceregal Lodge on Thursday night. Nearly 70 persons received various decorations. After investiture the guests were received by Lord and Lady Reading in special shamianas.—A.P.

Delhi.—The Chamber of Princes has elected the Maharajah of Patiala to be Chancellor in succession to His Highness the Maharajah of Bikaner who did not seek re-election.—A.P.

Mrs. and Miss Pease arrived at Government House, Bombay, on Friday.

Lt.-Colonel Gidney lunched at Government House, Bombay, on Friday.

Lt.-Colonel G. Brooke and Commander Edkin dined at Government House, Bombay, on Friday.

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A DANCE Extraordinary.

TRACING OUT AN ELEPHANT ON THE GROUND WITH THE TOES WHILE DANCING : : : : : : : : : REALLY WORTH SEEING.

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RAJA SANDOW Playing the Role of MADHAV.

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GIRGAUM.

BOMBAY CITY AND SUBURBS.

ENGAGEMENTS

TO-DAY.

Benefit Performance in aid of Bandra T. C. C. at Elphinstone Theatre, Grant Road, 8-30 p.m., Mr. Horniman to preside.

Bombay women's meeting to ask for suppression of brothels, Marwadi Vidyalaya, 4-30 p.m. Mrs. Saberbanoo F. Vakil to preside.

The s.s. "Kaisar-I-Hind" with the English mails leaves at 1 p.m.

Bombay Winter Meeting, 11th Day.

University Senate Meeting, 3 p.m.

Special Convocation, Bombay University, University Hall, 5-45 p.m.

SUNDAY, January 31.

Mr. P. Joseph to address "F" Ward voters in Krishna Building Quadrangle, 8 a.m. (S. T.).

Domestic Occurence.

DEATH.

Seth Gordhandas Ranchoddas Bhagat Sonawala expired on Friday, 29-1-26. His Uthamana ceremony will be performed at his residence at Kumbharkukda on Saturday 30-1-26 at 4 p.m. (B.T.)

STEAMER MOVEMENTS

The outward P. & O. Mail Steamer "Naldera" with the mails from London of the 21st instant arrived at Port Said at 6-30 a.m. on the 27th instant and left there at 1 p.m. the same day.

The P. & O. Mail Steamer "Razmak" with the Mails from Bombay of 23rd instant arrived at Aden at noon on the 27th instant.

The P. and O. Mail Steamer "Macedonia" carrying Bombay Mails of 23rd instant ex S. S. "Razmak" left Aden at 4 p.m. on the 27th instant.

The Clan Line s.s. "Maciver" arrived in London on the morning of 27th instant.

POSTAL NOTICES

Superscribed mails for Singapore, China and Japan per s.s. "Toyooka Maru" will be closed at the General Post Office at 9-0 a.m. to-day (Saturday).

Mails from Australia via Dhanushkodi for Bombay are due here to-day (Saturday).

Mails for Mauritius and Reunion per s.s. "Dara" via Karachi, will be closed at the General Post Office at 6-30 p.m. on Tuesday, the 2nd proximo.

Mails for Seychelles, Lamu Mombasa Dar, Chindi, Dares-Salaam, Zanzibar, Tanga, Quilimane, Mozambique, Beira and L. Marquis, per s.s. "Karapara", will be closed at the General Post Office at 12 noon on Wednesday, the 3rd proximo.

Correspondence for Natal, Cape Colony and other places in South Africa will also be forwarded by this steamer.

BORIVLI SEASON-TICKET OFFICE

The Season-Ticket Office at Borivli will be opened for the public from the 1st prox. (Monday).

COMMERCE GRADUATES' ASSOCIATION

A meeting of the Association will be held to-day (Saturday) at 4 p.m. Commerce Graduates are requested to attend. The Association Rooms are open as usual from 11 a.m. to 7-30 p.m.

BOMBAY Y M C A (CENTRAL BRANCH)

To-day (Saturday) the usual Saturday Popular Evening will be held in the Y.M.C.A. Hall, Wodehouse Road, at 9-15 p.m. All are cordially invited.

PRARTHANA SAMAJ

Dr. Kashibai Nowrange will conduct the weekly Divine Service in the Bombay Prarthana Mandir, Girgaon, to-morrow (Sunday) at 5-30 p.m.

The morning Divine Service will be at 7-30 a.m.

K D V CO-OPERATIVE CREDIT SOCIETY

The first general meeting of the Kudal Deshastha Vaishya Co-operative Credit Society will be held to-day (Saturday) at 9 p.m. (S.T.) at the Simplex Buildings, No. C25 (Paywala Street near Charni Road Junction) to make bye-laws and to elect office-bearers and managing committee for the ensuing year. The members and would-be members are requested to be present.

BOMBAY PROV. CONGRESS COMMITTEE

A special meeting of the Bombay Provincial Congress Committee will be held to-day (Saturday) at 5-30 p.m. at the "Congress House." An ordinary meeting of the Bombay Provincial Congress Committee will be held to-morrow Sunday, at 5-45 p.m. (S.T.) at the Congress House.

"TWO BURNING QUESTIONS"

A meeting of the Elphinstone College Gujarati Mandal will be held to-day (Saturday) at 4-30 p.m. (S.T.) in the B. A. Class Room under the presidency of Revd. Divatia, when Mr. C. N. Pandya will deliver a lecture on "The Two Burning Questions," in Gujarati.

SOCIAL SERVICE LEAGUE, BOMBAY

Under the auspices of the Social Service League, Parel Settlement, a magic lantern lecture will be delivered publicly by Mr. A. A. Noorbhoy, Dy. Superintendent, Municipal Urdu Schools, on "Physiology" to-day (Saturday), at 7-0 p.m. (S. T.), in the Madanpura Settlement Hall.

DNYAN PRASARAK MANDALI

The fourth public lecture in Gujarati under the auspices of this Society, the Zoroastrian Association and the Bombay Sanitary Association will be delivered to-day (Saturday) at 6 p.m. (S.T.) at the Sir Cowasji Jehangir Public Hall, Royal Institute of Science, by Dr. Jamshed Jivanji Modi, L.M. & S., L.D.S. (Eng.), Professor of Dentistry, Grant Medical College, Dental Surgeon, Sir J. J. Hospital, on "Oral Hygiene—the influence of Food and Drink upon the Teeth and Throat." The lecture will be illustrated by the lantern. All are cordially invited to attend.

KHADDAR IN RETURN OF YARN.

Khaddar chintz useful for children's petty-coats, curtains, etc., will be exchanged by weight for good hand-spun yarn above 16 counts. People desiring to have this bargain can do so during office hours at the "Congress House", 414, Girgaum Back Road, Bombay, 4.

INTERNATIONAL MARRIAGE

Miss A. O'Gorman of London will be converted into Hinduism and married to Pandit Rupkisan, Sub-Divisional Forest Officer, Shrinagar (Kashmere) to-day (Saturday), at 5 p.m. (B. T.), at Arya Samaj Mandir. Her shuddhi and marriage ceremony will be performed by Pandit Dwijendranath Sharma.

RELIGIOUS DISCOURSES.

Swami Yatiswarananda of the Sri Ramakrishna Mission will conduct a public class in English on the Gospel of Sri Ramakrishna at the Sri Ramakrishna Ashram, Khar, Santa Cruz, at 9 a.m. (S. T.), on Sunday (to-morrow).

Swami Viswananda will deliver a public discourse on the "Gita" at Kirtikar's Wadi, Dadar at 9-0 a.m. to-morrow (Sunday). The Gita class at Saraswat Hall, Alexandra Road, Gamdevi, will be conducted by the Swami at 5-30 p.m. to-day.

BOMBAY COTTON MARKET.

BOMBAY MARKET.

COTTON.

(From Our Correspondent)

Bombay, Jan. 29.

To-day Reuter reported 1 point lower to 3 points up in old crop and 1 to 2 points up in new crop in New York futures. Early the market eased but later recovered on some short covering. Liverpool has been reported 1 to 2 points lower.

Although a slight recovery was reported in New York futures the Marwari Bazar opened Rs. 2½ higher with Broach April-May at Rs. 354½ and advanced to Rs. 355/- on Bazar operators buying. At this level Commission Houses and Shroffs were sellers which caused prices to ease to Rs. 352½. On general buying the market improved to Rs. 353½ and closed at Rs. 353 1/4. At Cotton Green the market opened at Rs. 353½ and going down by half a rupee advanced to Rs. 355/- on Exporters buying and closed at Rs. 354½.

Oomra March opened at Rs. 337½ and gradually advanced to Rs. 339/- on Commission Houses and Shroffs buying, but this improvement did not last long, for, on other Commission Houses and general selling the market declined to Rs. 336½ and after meagre fluctuations closed at Rs. 336 3/4. Whilst Oomra May opened at Rs. 335/- and after giving way by a rupee gradually improved to Rs. 336/- on Bazar operators buying. Since then weakness developed and before the close of the market the rate sagged to Rs. 333½ on free selling by Commission Houses finally closing at Rs. 334/-. Bengal March and May were quoted Rs. 282½ and Rs. 284½ respectively.

With prices for forward contracts remaining firm yesterday there was a brisk demand for high-class actual cotton from Exporters and sales put through amounted nearly to 5,000 bales.

COTTON.

Cotton Green Closing Quotations, 6 p.m.

	Bombay, Jan. 29.
Fully Good Broach April/May	354½
Fully Good Bengal March	282
Fully Good Bengal May	284
Fine Oomra March	337½
Fine Oomra May	334½

SPOT QUOTATIONS.

	Bombay, Jan. 29.		
Description	Superfine,	F. Good	Good.
M. G. Bengal	297	235	275
M. G. S. Punjab	290	280	270
M. G. Oomra No. 3	365	355	341
M. G. Central Provinces No. 1	390	380	366
M. G. Central Provinces No. 2	280	370	356
M. G. Khandesh	340	330	320
M. G. Mathia	290	275	265

EAST INDIAN COTTON ASSOCIATION.

	Bombay, Jan. 29.
Fully Good Broach April/May	353
Fully Good Bengal March	282
Fully Good Bengal May	284
Fine Oomra March	337
Fine Oomra May	334

READY APPROXIMATE QUOTATIONS.

	Bombay, Jan. 29. Ready	New. March.
Bengal Superfine M. G.	305	.....
Bengal Fine M. G.	290	290
Bengal F.G. M.G.	280	279
Sindh-Punjab Fine M.G.	285	285
Sindh-Punjabi F.G.M.G.	277	.....
Punjab-Americans M.G.	390	.....
Wardha-Hingt Fine M.G	350/65	360
Nagpur Fine M.G.	350/65	360
Yeotmal Fine M. G.	325/55	348
Puljaon Fine M.G.	335/60	348
Arvi Fine M.G.	325/60	348
Amraoti Fine M.G.	315/50	340
Khamgaon Akola Fine M.G	310/45	340
Mukapur Fine M.G.	300/20	325
Khandesh F.G. M.G.	300/20	320
Broach Fine M.G.	370	367
Broach Fully Good M.G.	.....	.....
Mathia Fine M.G	290	.....
Mathia F.G.M.G.	275	.....
Dharwar S. G.	.....	.....
Coompta M.G.	315/55	.....
Westerns M.G.	290/310	.....
Westerns H.G.	.....	.....
Miraj M.G.	340/50	.....
Cambodia M.G.	400/20	.....

RECEIPTS.

Bombay, Jan. 29.

The following are the receipts of cotton produce etc., for the 24 hours ending 6 p.m. on 28th January, 1926:—

Cotton	17,796 Bales
Wheat	6,373 Cwts.
Linseed	1,138 ,,
Rape, etc.	212 ,,
Gingellyseed	901 ,,
Poppyseed	nil.
Groundnuts	10,499 ,,
Castorseed	5,686 ,,
Rice	4,950 ,,
Myrabollams	7,524 ,,
Cottonseed	9,507 ,,
Mowraseed	nil.
Gram	270 ,,
Juwar	1,162 ,,
Masur	nil.
Barley	nil.
Bajri	1,386 ,,
Coal	713 Tons.

BRUEL & CO.'S MARKET REPORT.

EAST INDIAN COTTON.

RECEIPTS INTO BOMBAY.

BOMBAY Jan. 29.

In full-prossed Bales.	Yesterday	Since 1st September This Year.	Last Year.
Khandesh	1,783	2,01,415	1,11,639
Central India ..	3,004	2,02,100	82,524
Barsi and Nagar ..	2,284	1,14.273	82,386
Hyderabad-Gaorani	523	39,964	41,838
Berar	1,791	2,36,023	2,48,913
Central Provinces ..	2.315	1.23,545	1,39.696
Total Oomras ..	11,700	9,17,400	7,06,946
Dholera	839	1,08.134	52,755
N.W. Provinces ..	203	1,18,894	1,03,734
Rajputana	713	51,531	22,908
Sind-Punjab ..	1.859	1,21,429	2,11,824
Broach	1,809	42 284	1.132
Coompta & Dharwar	5,196	13,745	11,979
Westerns-Northerns	..	7,103	11.807
Coconada	..	1,471	918
Tinnevelly and Cambodia		6,441	6,855
Persian	161	2,704	796
American	..	143	7,123
Egyptian and African	425	30,612	23,095
Comilla, Burma & other sorts ..	87	539	3,485
Total	17,796	14,11,400	11,65,477

EXPORTS FROM BOMBAY.

In full-pressed bales	Yesterday	1st Sept. to 21st Jan. This year	Last year
Europe	4,817	1,98,123	1,34,036
Japan & China ..	23,812	4,90,938	4,86,769
Coast Ports		10,796	7,974
Up country by Rail. ..		4,337	7,689
Afloat in harbourfor Europe, China and Japan		1,15,729	67,882
Total ..		28,629	8,19,923 7,04.350

COTTON.

London, Jany. 28.

	Bales.
Total Day's Sales at Liverpool.	8,000
Total Day's Sales on Spec, and for Exp.	1,000
Total Day's Sales of East Indian	Nil.

Mid. Americans Spot:—
Unipersal Standard 10.71. Good demand
Egyptian F.G.F. Sakellaridis 18.35d.
New York 11 a.m. (As known in Liverpool at closing time.):—

March	20.08
May	19.50
July	18.87

New York Noon Call:—

March	20.05
May	19.48
July	18.85

New Orleans 10 a.m.:—

March	19.49
October	17.52

COTTON—OPENING TONE & PRICES

Future Delipery prices:—

	Liverpool, Jany. 28.
January	10.33 —.16
March	10.30 —.09
May	10.20 —.10
July	10.04 —.09
October	9.69 —.07
December	9.58 —.08
January	9.57 —.07

EGYPTIANS.

	Liverpool, Jany. 28.
May	16.85 unchgd.

EGYPTIAN COTTON—CLOSING PRICES

	Liverpool, Jany. 28.
January	17.32 —.53
February	17.00 —.10
March	16.90 —.10
April	16.80 —.15
April	16.80 —.15
May	16.70 —.15
June	16.70 —.15
July	16.70 —.15
August	16.35 —.15
September	16.90 —.20
October	16.90 —.20
November	16.90 —.20
December	16.90 —.20
January	16.90 —.20

CLOSING PRICES.

London, Jany. 28.

Cotton Delivery Mid. Uplands G.O.C. Liverpool:—

January	10.21 —.02
February	10.20 —.01
March	10.20 —.01
April	10.12 —.01
May	10.09 —.01
June	10.02 —.02
July	9.94 —.01
August	9.82 unchgd.
September	9.67 —.01
October	9.61 —.01
November	9.52 —.01
December	9.49 —.01
January	9.49 —.01

Tone:—Barely steady.

CLOSING PRICES—AMERICAN COTTON MARKET.

New York, Jany. 28.

Futures at New York:—

March	20.15 —.01
May	19.58 plus .01
July	18.95 plus .03
October	18.20 plus .02

Liverpool, Jany. 28.

Cotton Delivery Mid. Uplands G.O.C. Liverpool:—

January	10.21 —.02
March	10.20 —.01
May	10.09 —.01
July	9.91 —.01

AMERICAN MARKETS.—COTTON.

New York, Jany, 28.

COTTON:—

Day's Receipts at all U. S. Ports	24,000
Day's Exports to Great Britain	19,000
Day's Exports to Continent	13,000

March	20.15 —.01
May	19.58 plus .01
July	18.95 plus .03
October	18.20 plus .02

Futures at New York:—
Spot Cotton at New York 20.90 unchgd.
Spot Cotton at New Orleans 20.07 unchgd.
Futures at New Orleans:—

March	19.55 —.02
October	17.58 plus .02

Fair Rio Coffee (No. 7 quality) 19.
Demand Bills 4.85.87.
Silver Foreign mined £67 1/8.

THE METAL MERCHANTS'

Issued Rates for Brass and Copper.
Daily Quotations.

BRASS.

	Bombay, Jan. 29.		
Brass, German	½	57	0 0
Brass, German	1	58	0 0
Brass, German	1¼	57	0 0
Brass German	1½	57	0 0
Brass, German	1¾	57	0 0
Brass, German	2	57	0 0
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BOMBAY CHINA YARN MARKETS.

DAILY QUOTATIONS.

	Bombay, Jan. 29. Per lb.	R.	a.	p.
Kilachand	No. 20½	0	10	9
Kilachand	No. 12½	0	12	3
Currimbhai	No. 12½	0	10	9
Elphinstone	No. 12½	0	10	9
David	No. 10½	0	10	9
Shapurji	No. 10½	0	10	6
Trikamdas	No. 10½	0	11	0
Sattara	No. 12½	0	11	3
Shapurji	No. 6½	0	9	6
Light-house	No. 6½	0	9	3
Japan	No. 40-1	1	4	0
Japan	No. 42-2	1	6	0
Japan	No. 20	0	14	3
Japan	No. 32	1	2	0

COPPER.

	Bombay, Jan. 29. Per md.	Rs.	a.	p.
Copper, German	¾		59/8	
Copper, German	1		60/4	
Copper German	1½		60/4	
Copper American	1½		62	
Copper, American	1¾		63	
Copper American	2		63	
Japanese Copper Bars			62	
Panchteka joint			27/8	
Copper, English Bars			61/8	
Brass Bars			41	
Pat Klai			74/8	
Lead, Rangoon			38	
Koger Brass, Metal ¾ Rs. 55/8 to 1 Rs. 56				
Koger Brass 1¼ to 1½, 1 3/4 to 2 55/8				
German Copper 1½ 61, to 1¾ to 2 62				
American Copper ¾ to 1, 1¼ 61/8				

METALS.

London, Jany. 28.

English best Selected Copper £62 1/2.
Standard Copper G.M.B. £58 1/16.
Copper Braziers £71.
Yellow Metal 69 1/2.
Hard Spelter 32 1/2.
Corrugated Sheets £16 3/8.
Tin Block £274 3/4.

WHEAT.

London, Jany. 28.

Barletta Russo—61 1/2lbs. J/F. Sellers 54/6.
Rozario Santa Fe—57 1/2lbs. J/F. Sellers 51/6.
Tone:—Quiet.
Australian J/F. Sellers 58/6.
Tone:—Quiet.

SEEDS.

London, Jany. 28.

Linseed Argentine (La Plata):—
J/F. Paid £15; F/M. Sellers £15 1/8; A/M. Paid £15 1/8.
Tone:—Quiet.
Cottonseed Bombay J/F. Sellers £7 1/2. Quiet.
Castorseed Bombay J/F. Sellers £16 5/8.
Linseed Bombay J/F. Value £18 1/4.
Rapeseed, Ferozepore, Usual Bold, per ton:—J/F. Value £19 1/4.
Rapeseed, Toria, per ton:—J/F. Value £19 1/2.
Rapeseed, Yellow Guzerat, per ton:—Not quoted.
Rapeseed, Brown Cawnpore, per ton:—J/F. Value £19.
Yellow Cawnpore J/F. Value £23 1/4.

MONEY MARKET.

EXCHANGE QUOTATIONS.

Bombay, Jan. 29.

E C RATE—
Bank's selling T T 1/6 1/8.
Bank's selling D D 1/6 5/32.
LONDON—
Bank's selling T T 1/6 5/32.
Bank's selling D D 1/6 3/16.
Bank's buying 3 M/st D A 1/6 15/32.
Bank's buying T T 1/6 3/16.
Bank's buying D D 1/6 7/32.
PARIS—
Bank's selling D D Frcs. 970.
Bank's buying 3 M/st D A Frcs. 1025.
Bank's buying D D Frcs. 1010.
JAPAN—
Bank's selling T T Rs. 122.
Bank's buying 60 D/st D P Rs. 118.
HONGKONG—
Bank's selling D D Rs. 160½.
SHANGHAI—
Bank's selling D D Rs. 204½.
SINGAPORE—
Bank's selling D D Rs. 156.
NEW YORK—
Bank's selling D D Rs. 272
CROSS RATES—
London—New York Dols. 4.86 1/4.
London—Paris Frcs. 129.58.
London—Switzerland Frcs. 25.20.
London—Brussels Frcs. 107.00.
London—Rome Liras 120.55.
London—Berlin Marks 20.75.
TONE OF EXCHANGE—
Exchange Market was steady.

London, Jany. 28.

Tele. Transfers 1/6 3/16. Steady.
Bar Gold £4.4.10 1/2. Quiet.
Bar Silver Spot 31. Steady.

London, Jany. 28.

Rentes 3 per cent. 49 1/4
Bar Silver Spot) 31.
Bar Silver 2 months hence. 30 15/16
Closing tone of silved.—China Bear covering closed steady.
Interest day to day loans 4 3/4
Interest 7 days market loans 4
Discount, Bank of England Rate 5 per cent. since 3/12/25.
Bar sold £ 5000
Sovereigns for export to Holland £15000.

BOMBAY EXCHANGE QUOTATIONS.

	Bombay, Jan. 29. Market Rates.
Bank Telegraphic	1/6 5/32
Bank Demand	1/6 3/16
Doc. Acceptance 3 m/s	1/6 7/16
Fcs. Demand	
American Dollars	272 1/2
Hongkong Dollars	160 1/2
Shanghai	201 1/2
Japan	122 1/4
Singapore	156
Market steady.	

EXCHANGE ON CONTINENTAL CENTRES—MIDDLE QUOTATIONS.

Stockholm	18.16
Christiania	23.92
Amsterdam	12.12
Switzerland	25.21
Prague	164.06

London, Jany. 28.

Exchange on London in Paris	2950
Exchange on London in Germany	2041 5/8
Exchange on London in Italy	12062

New York, Jany. 28.
Demand Bills 4.85.87.

EXCHANGE.

London, Jany. 28.

Belgium	106.98
Athens	355.00

London, Jany. 28.

Cuban Sugar c i f United Kingdom January/February Value 11/6.

LONDON DISCOUNTS.

Bombay, Jan. 29.

3 Months 4.5/8 per cent.
6 Months 4 5/8 per cent.
Bank of England Rate 5 per cent.
Money Call 4-3/4 per cent.
Money 1 Month 5 per cent.
Money 3 Months 5 per cent.
Money 6 Months 5 per cent.
Tone of Money Market: Steady.
Imperial Bank of India Rate 6 per cent.

DISCOUNTS.

London, Jany. 28.

Discount Bank Bills 3 m/st	4 5/8
Discount Indian Bank Bills 6 m/st.	4 5/8
Discount Fine Trade Bills 3 m/st	5 1/4
Discount Fine Trade Bills 6 m/st	5 3/4
Rentes 50 per cent. 12 3/4	

STOCKS, ETC.

Funding Loan 4 per cent. 1960/90 £88 —1/8.
Victory Bonds 4 per cent. £ 93 1/2 unchanged.
War Loan 5 per cent. 1929/47 £ 101 1/8 —1/8.
Conversion Loan £ 76 1/8 unchanged.
Indian Loan 5 1/2 per cent. £101 3/4—1
Indian Loan 7 per cent. £ 104 1/2 unchanged.
Consols 2 1/2 per cent. 55 7/8 plus 1/8
Rupee Paper 3 1/2 per cent. 52 unchanged
Indian Stock 3 1/2 per cent. (Sterling Loan) 67 3/4 unchanged.
Government Securities 3 per cent. 57 3/4 unchanged.

BULLION.

Bombay, Jan. 29.

Sovereigns Ready 13-5.3.
Sovereigns Forward 13-5-0
National Bank Bar Gold 21-6-3
Bar silver ready Rs. 21-2.3.
Bar gold forward Rs. 21-2-3.
Bar gold 2nd settlement Rs. 21-3-6.
Bar silver ready Rs. 69-10-0.
Bar silver 1st settlement Rs. 69-10.0.
Bar silver 2nd settlement Rs. 69-4.0.

London, Jan. 28.

Bar gold ready, s. 84-10½.
Silver ready d. 30-10.
Silver forward d. 30-15.
TONE OF SILVER—
Steady. China bought forward. China was a large buyer at lower rate. Market has a more steady appearance.

TRADE AND FINANCE.

WEEKLY REPORT.

MONEY.

January 29.

Monetary conditions are distinctly firmer in view of the improved trade demand and heavy requirements for the financing of the cotton crop. Although the trade demand is lively, business on the whole continues dull. Call funds are in demand at 5 per cent., while banks offer 5 to 5½ per cent. for two to three months deposit, 5½ per cent. for six months and 5 per cent for twelve months.

The gilt-edged market continued steady throughout the week, in anticipation of trading in futures rather than due to any genuine demand, and a large amount of business has been passing. 3½ per cent. Paper improved from Rs. 69/15 to Rs. 70/9 and 1933 and 1945-55 Loans from Rs. 100/4 to Rs. 100/9. 5½ per cent Bonds 1928 advanced by about 3 annas to Rs. 105/11. 6 per cent Bonds, 1926 and 1926, were placed at Rs. 100/9 and Rs. 101/9, 1920 at Rs. 104/4 and 1932 at Rs. 105/6. 6½ per cent Bombay Development Loan improved from Rs. 109 to Rs. 109/4.

EXCHANGE.

Although a firm tone is being maintained, the sterling exchange market continues inactive and featureless. There were some bills placed both here and in Calcutta, while the demand for bullion was on a limited scale. The banks' selling rate up to end of March is 1s 6-5/32d, April 1s 6-1/8d May to October 1s 6-3/32d and November/December 1s 6-1/8d.

The dollar sterling quotation continued steady at about Dol. 4.86-1/4, the highest touched being Dol. 4.86.3/8. French francs remained steady at 129.58, Belgian at 107 and the Italian lira at 120.55.

GOLD.

In the gold market steady conditions prevailed during the week under report due to a somewhat improved daily off-take and bears covering their sales for February settlement. There are no indications of an awakening interest in this market. The off-take averages some 25,000 tolas a day, and after allowing for the importation of some 5 lakhs tolas, the present stock is estimated at about 8 lakhs tolas. The official and the market prices of gold in London are unchanged at 84s. 11½d and 84s. 10½d. respectively. The price of sovereigns improved and closes at Rs. 13/5/0 both for ready and forward. The highest and lowest rates in our market during the week were Rs. 21/2 and Rs. 21/1/6 for ready, Rs. 21/2 and Rs. 21/1/9 for 29th January settlement and Rs. 21/2/3 and Rs. 21/3 for 1st March settlement. The incoming mail is expected to bring £45,000 gold. Inclusive of these arrivals and excluding the present week's shipment the total visible supply from London to India is about £97,000. The total import of gold during the week amounted to Rs. 1,43,99,498 in bar and coin. This week's shipment from London is expected to be £107,000.

The Southern Rhodesian gold output for November 1925 amounted to 50,364 ounces as compared with 48,896 ounces for October 1925 and 52,108 ounces for November 1924.

SILVER.

Reflecting the easier conditions prevailing in Shanghai the local market declined during the early part of the week from Rs. 69/14 to Rs. 69/5, but subsequently improved on bears covering sales and continuous good off-take of some 260 bars a day. At the lower levels touch some resistence developed in the local market and no further sharp decline is anticipated. The present stock is estimated at about 3200 bars. The rate for T T on London in Shanghai declined from 3s 0-11/16d to 3s 0-3/8d, but subsequently improved and closes at 3s. 0-11/16d. The highest and lowest rates in London during the week were 31s and 30-13/16d for ready and 30-15/16d and 30-3/4d for forward. In our market the highest and lowest rates during the week were Rs. 69/14 and Rs. 69/5 for ready, Rs. 69/11 and Rs. 69/3 for 3rd February settlement and Rs. 69/8 and Rs. 68/15 for 4th March settlement. The incoming mail is expected to bring £375,000. Inclusive of these arrivals and exclusive of the present week's shipment the total visible supply from London to India is about £892,509. The total import of silver during the week amounted to 775 bars and Rs. 194,219 in coin. This week's shipment is expected to be £246,000.

SHARES.

The Stock Exchange was open throughout the period under report. Prices of cotton mill shares have been unchanged tending slightly towards lower levels due to the approach of February settlement. Following are the fluctuations in some of the principal shares:—Bombay Dyeings Rs. 865—856/4—861/4—860; Century Rs. 420—415—417/8; Central India Rs. 462/8—460; Crescent Rs. 197/8—195—197/8; Fazulbhoy Rs. 815/12—810—811/4; Madhowji Rs. 117/8—115—116/4—111/4; New Great R.s. 310—306/4—311/4—310; Pearls Rs. 467/8 xd—463/12xd—467/8xd; Simplex Rs. 138/12—135—137/8 and Swadeshi Rs. 456/4—456—456/4.

In the miscellaneous section rates have declined somewhat, Andhra Valleys receding from Rs. 610 to Rs. 602/8 and Tata Hydros from Rs. 927/8xd to Rs. 923/12. Alcocks declined from Rs. 140 to Rs. 138/12. Tata Irons Ordys. were steady at Rs. 16 and defds at Rs. 45. Bombay Trams were placed at Rs. 105. Cement shares declined a little, Bundis being quoted at Rs. 9/4, Katni ordys at Rs. 42/8 and defds at Rs. 110. Railway shares were in demand, Ahmd Prantij being quoted at Rs. 815, Amritsar Patti at Rs. 143/8 and Central Provinces at Rs. 109.

Among Bank shares, Imperial Banks were steady at Rs. 1440xd, Contributories at Rs. 570xd, Bank of India at Rs. 71/8 and those of the Central Bank at Rs. 23.

In view of recent discussions, among those interested in the Mill industry, regarding trade relations with Japan, the following extract of an article from the "Japan Weekly Chronicle" dated the 17th December 1925 is of interest:—

"The Textile Trade: The cotton textile mills at Senhokugun near Osaka, are to carry out an organised curtailment of output by 30 per cent, says the "Osaka Mainichi". The master weavers in the district, numbering more than two hundred, have decided on this drastic reduction in production in order to ameliorate the situation arising from the sharp fall in demand, aggravated by an oversupply. At the meeting held on Thursday afternoon at the Textiles Association's Offices at Hamadera, when there was an attendance of 150 members, it was also decided the wage scale at the associated mills should be pruned down 20 per cent, and that steps should be taken to see that the working hours under the Factory Law were observed by the mills.

The Associated mills will carry out the agreed improvement in quality from next month forward, when a uniform mark will be used on the parcels of cotton cloth."

QUOTATIONS OF LOCAL MILL CLOTHS

(Issued by the Hindustani Native Merchants Association.)

Bombay, Jan. 29.

KHADI:—				
Textile	Per lb.	0	15	0
Century	,,	0	13	6
Jacob	,,	0	14	0
E. D. Sassoon	,,	0	13	6
Elphinstone	,,	0	13	6
LONG CLOTH (Full weight) 34/40 In.:—				
Standard	Per lb.	1	3	6
Century	,,	1	2	0
Century	,,	1	2	0
Hindustan	,,	1	4	0
Fazal (Mahal)	,,	1	3	6
Phoenix	,,	1	2	6
Pebaney (Phoolmala)	,,	1	2	0
Manekji (Patangia)	,,	1	2	0
Kaliamardan	,,	1	3	0
Daud Sahib	,,	1	1	9
LONG CLOTH (Light weight) No. 5202/5303:—				
Rachael Mill	Per lb.	1	3	0
Hindustan	,,	1	3	0
David Mill	,,	1	3	0
Appolo	,,	1	3	0
E. D. Sassoon				
LONG CLOTH x Quality:—				
Kohinoor Mill	,,	1	2	6
Swan Finlay	,,	1	1	9
Gold Mohor	,,,	1	1	0
LONG CLOTH Satin Calender 34—42 In.—				
Textile (Hand)	Per lb	1	2	6
Spring (Merchant)	,,	1	2	6
Century (Bugle)	,,	1	2	0
Appolo (Pyala)	,,	1	1	0
Tata Mill (Darji)	,,	1	1	6
Sakuntala	,,	1	1	3
Sundari Brand	,,	1	0	9
DHOOTIES 7, 8 9 Yards—				
Spring (Balance)	Per lb.	1	4	0
Jacob E. D.	,,	1	1	0
Century	,,	1	4	0
DHOOTIES 10 Yards.				
Spring (Balance)	,,	1	3	0
Century	,,	1	3	0
Jacob E. D.	,,	1	0	0
1386 Tata	,,	3	6	0
CHECK GREY DRILL x lbs. 5—				
Bombay Cotton Per Piece		5	1	0
Jamshed	,,	5	1	0
Jamshed	,,	5	4	0
Pearl Pabaney 25	,,	5	4	0
Hindustan No. 902	,,	5	8	0
BLEACHED CHECK—				
Kasturchand Mill	,,	6	5	0
BLACK CHECK,				
5800 Sholapar	,,	12	10	0
Textile Mill £3 1/2.				
GABRUN No. 5124:—				
Pearl Pebaney	,,	9	7	0
Hindustan	,,	9	12	0
E. D. Rachael	,,	9	4	0
SALITA				
Century	Per lb.	1	2	0
Textile	,,	1	2	0
Spring (Merchant)	,,	1	2	3
STRIPED SADIS Yards 12				
777 Kohinoor	Per piece	2	11	6
DUKDI Yards 12-13-14.				
Kanta	Per lb.	1	6	6
Great	Per lb.	1	5	0
Phoenix	,,	1	6	0
CHADAR KORI CALENDER—				
David	Per piece	1	1	0

C. M. PAREKH'S QUOTATIONS

Bombay, Jan. 29.

Jute:—Albion 407; Alliance 478, Anglo-India 377; Auckland 214/10; Barnagore 154; Bally 172; Birla 8; Belvedere 450; Budge-Budge 385; Caledonian 475; Chapdani 155; Clive 33/4; Craig 4/12; Cheviot 245; Dalhousie 338-32; Delta 430; Empire 47/8; Fort Gloster 790; Fort William 202-88; Gondalpara 800; Gouripore 645; Hukumchand 9/12; Hooghly 68/8; Howrah 36/4; Kamarhatty 540-34; Kankinarrah 436; Kelvin 740; Khardah 400; Kinnison 935; Lansdowne 235-30; Lawrence 575-60; Lothian 325; Naihati 410; National 24/4; New Central 490; Northbrook 47/8; Nudea 45; Orient 165; Presidency 7; Reliance 57; Soorah 26; Standard 365; Union 515; Waverly 7; Hessian 19/4; Jute 120/8.

Cotton:—Dunbar 174; Keshavram Cotton 3/12.

Miscellaneous:—B I Corporation 5; Burma Corp 13/8; I Standard wagon 19/8; Imperial Bank 1445; Imperial Cmty 374.

Remarks:—Jute shares easy closed at lowest.

MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS.

CANDIDATES' SYMBOLS.

In order to enable voters to identify the candidates for whom they may desire to vote at the ensuing Municipal elections, the Municipal authorities have printed distinctive symbols against the names of the candidates in the voting paper. Candidates, so desiring will have their symbols published in these columns:—

Mrs. SAROJINI NAIDU

"C" WARD

Symbol "BIRD"

The Bird that sings always the song of "Swaraj" for India.

TO VOTERS OF D WARD.

TIGER

Symbol of Mr. K. F. NARIMAN

Do you want a Tiger to fight for your CIVIC RIGHTS?
If so, Support Mr. K. F. NARIMAN.

Symbol of

LAKHMIDAS ROWJEE TAIRSEE

IS

"MAN"

VOTERS OF "C" WARD

(1) If you want "Superman" to represent you, do not vote for me.
(2) If you want Semaphores, do not vote for me.
(3) If you want a MAN, to act and fight as MAN, vote for

LAKHMIDAS ROWJEE TAIRSEE,

Symbol— "MAN"

No. 9 IN VOTING PAPER.—G. B. TRIVEDI

Symbol "CHAIR"

"C" WARD.

Practical Social Worker for Orphans, Depressed Classes, fallen Women Prisoners, etc., etc.
Worked on popular side in the first Reformed Council.
"Indefatigable Critic of the Development Department", said "Times of India"

TO THE VOTERS OF 'F' WARD

Symbol of Mr. G. B. NARE, B.A.

A LABOUR CANDIDATE

"CART"

If you want a Landlord and Capitalist to represent you, then don't vote for me.
If you want a Working Class man like you to represent you, then vote for Mr G. B. NARE.

To Voters of "A" Ward.

PHIROZESHAW ARDESHIR NARIELWALA,

Nationalist.

Symbol "LION"

Send in the Lion to defend your rights.

CANDIDATE FOR "A" WARD—THE FORT.
No. 15.

RUDRAPATNA VENKATRAM

Symbol 'CART'

Do not overlook the claims of the CART. It is still the Pioneer in Transport—the Veritable Sapper and Miner of the Road. Ever ready to chalk out New Paths—of Progress, of Freedom.
VOTE FOR PROGRESS AND FREEDOM BY VOTING FOR Mr. VENKATRAM

Candidate from C. Ward, Bhuleshwar.

"No. 23 in the Voting Paper"

RAMCHANDRA M. BHATT

NATIONALIST.

Symbol— "HORSE"

REMEMBER

No. 8 in the Voting Paper.

Dr. MANEKSHA NOWROJI BULSARA

Candidate from "E" Ward

Symbol "SCALE"

Weigh me by your scale
I will not be found wanting.

"E" BYCULLA WARD.

Mr. NAOROJI HORMUSJI BELGAUMVALA

NATIONALIST

Symbol "HAND"

BYCULLA (E) WARD.

VAIKUNTHRAI AMBALAL DESAI, B.A.

Symbol SWORD

Vote for one, who works for you.

CANDIDATE FOR A. WARD, FORT.

MATHURADAS TRIKAMJI

Symbol— "FLOWER"

"All parties in the Corporation are agreed as to his contribution to the advancement of the City's interests during his present tenure and there are no two opinions as to the extent of his solid work.

L. R. TAIRSEE,
S. A. BRELVI,
B. F. BHARUCHA.

VOTE FOR

SUNDERRAO DINANATH NAVALKAR

"C" BHULESHWAR WARD

Symbol—COW

HONORARY SECRETARY

MUNICIPAL REFORM ASSOCIATION
NATIONALIST,
Municipal Party Candidate.

Will try to get your Municipal grievances redressed as in the past, without much talk, and show.

REMEMBER

No. 10 IN THE VOTING PAPER

GULABCHAND DEVCHAND JAVERI

CANDIDATE FROM "C" WARD.

Symbol "BELL"

Vote for one, who speaks less, but does more for public good

DALPATRAM PRANSHANKER PATHAK

A KATTER INDEPENDENT NATIONALIST

"C" WARD

Symbol "CAMEL"

"May God bestow on me ample opportunities to serve the Motherland and Humanity"
"Work must weigh more than Words."

A Timely Hint to Voters of "D" Ward.

from

SHANKER ATMARAM MANTRI

with a Symbol "HAND" for guidance

(1) Because, It is the hand that really works
(2) And it is the mind that inspires,
The hand of the Man who works;
(3) And that man is—SHANKER ATMARAM MANTRI.

Then VOTE for MANTRI for "D" Ward.

To Voters of "D" Ward.

(Symbol) "HORSE"

Symbol of V. N. CHANDAVARKAR.

TO VOTERS OF 'E' WARD.

Symbol of Mr. S. L. SILAM

Do you want a REGULAR and STEADY fighter for your CIVIC RIGHTS? If so, SUPPORT Mr. S. L. SILAM.

"WATCH"

Dr. S. P. MEHTA

"F" WARD.

Symbol—"ELEPHANT"

MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS.

"D" WARD

THE **SHIP**

Symbol of

B. G. HORNIMAN

TO THE VOTERS OF "D" WARD.

Ladies and Gentlemen,

At the request of many friends I am seeking election to the Corporation for the "D" Ward.

I have acceded to this request, because I am anxious to serve the citizens of Bombay in every way that is open to me, and I believe that, as a member of the Corporation, if I am elected, I shall have wider opportunities of doing so.

I am a supporter of the programme of the Municipal Nationalist Party and shall act and vote with that party on all essential issues, as I am convinced of the necessity of our City Corporation being placed on a thoroughly Democratic basis, of the Municipalisation of all public services and above all of the need for a drastic policy in regard to Compulsory Education, which will ensure that every child in the City, male or female, receives a sound education.

I am entirely against all communal distinctions in civic matters.

For the rest, I am sufficiently well-known to you all to offer you the assurance that I shall be actuated always solely by the desire to serve the true interests of the City, and **to promote the welfare of and protect from injustice, cruelty and oppression all living creatures.**

I do not ask for individual support, but request that those who vote for me, will distribute their votes in due proportion among the members of the Municipal Nationalist Party.

I am your obedient servant,
B. G. HORNIMAN.

Jan 29, 1926.

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46 NATIONALIST CANDIDATES.

The following are the 46 candidates selected by the Congress Nationalist Municipal Election Board, for the coming municipal elections, arranged according to wards:—

46 CANDIDATES.

The following are the 46 candidates selected by the Congress Nationalist Municipal Election Board, for the coming municipal elections, arranged according to wards, who have subscribed to the above appeal:—

A WARD.

1. Mr. Mathuradas Tricumji
2. Mr. Fateh Mohammad Mohammadji Adamji Haji Maniar
3. Mr. A. A. Peerbhoy—
4. Mr. P. A. Narielwala
5. Mr. S. N. Puenegar

B WARD.

1. The Hon. Mr. V. J. Patel
2. Mr. Mia Mohammad Haji Jan Mohammad Chotani
3. Mr. Kanji Karamsi Master—
4. Mr. B. N. Mehisheri—1
5. Dr. Jethalal V. Vora
6. Dr. Poonsey H. Meisher
7. Mr. Husseinbhoy A. Lalji
8. Mr. Shivdas Chapsey Thakkar
9. Mr. Veerchand Pannachand Shah

C WARD.

1. Mrs. Sarojini Naidu.
2. Miss Bachibai R. Lotwala
3. Dr. Motiram Balkrishna Velkar
4. Dr. A. G. Merchant
5. Mr. Balubhai T. Desai
6. Mr. G. B. Trivedi
7. Mr. S. D. Navalkar
8. Mr. Vithaldas D. Govindji
9. Mr. Mohanlal M. Desai
10. Mr. Ramchandra M. Bhat
11. Mr. Laxmidas Rowji Tairsee
12. Mr. Bhavanidas N. Motivala

D WARD.

1. Mr. Jamnadas M. Mehta
2. Mr. Khurshed F. Nariman
3. Dr. Narayan Damodar Savarkar
4. Mrs. Avantikabai Gokhale
5. Mr. Govardhanbhai I. Patel
6. Mr. S. N. Gamadia

E WARD.

1. Mr. Vaikunthrai A. Desai
2. Mr. N. H. Belgaumwalla
3. Mr. Haji Esa Haji Oosman Poonawalla
5. Mr. Savaji Laxman Silam
6. Mr. C. T. Lakhia
7. Mr. S. K. Pupala

F WARD.

1. Mr. Pothan Joseph
2. Mr. Manilal N. Joshi
3. Mr. Jivraj G. Nensey

G WARD.

1. Mr. Panduranga G. Sahasrabudhe
2. Mr. Haji Oosman Haji Saleh Mohammad
3. Mr. Damordardas Haridas
4. Mr. I. S. Patel
5. Mr. Rajaram K. Vaidya

MR. JOSEPH TO SPEAK

Under the auspices of the Jananukula Sabha, Parel, a meeting of "F" Ward citizens will be held on Sunday morning, at 8 a.m. (S. T.) in Krishna Building Qudrangle when Mr. Pothan Joseph will deliver an address on 'The Duty of the Voters'.

HORNIMAN'S CANDIDATURE.

TO THE EDITOR OF "THE CHRONICLE."

Sir,—Happy, indeed, that Mr. Horniman has been prevailed upon to stand as a candidate from "D" Ward at the ensuing Municipal Elections. Bombay will have many of its intricate problems solved by the presence of such a sane leader and tried friend of India, in the Corporation.

Humanitarians will specially rejoice as the many important and vexed questions like cattle preservation and other humanitarian matters, will be satisfactorily discussed and solved.

Voters of "D" Ward are really lucky to have the privilege of voting for the Humanitarian Horniman and they will no doubt vote solidly for him.—Yours, etc.,

MAGANLAL M. SHAH,
Honorary Secretary,
The Bombay Humanitarian League.

PARSEES AND MR. HORNIMAN

TO THE EDITOR OF "THE CHRONICLE."

Sir,—The Parsees must now vote in a solid body for Mr. B. G. Horniman at the forthcoming Municipal election and all other elections and return him to the Municipal Corporation and Legislative Council at the top of the poll. He is one out of not many fair-minded Englishmen now in India who are anxious to see justice done to Indians in all matters. For the first time in the history of Great Britain a feeling of general contempt for coloured races has suddenly appeared, created apparently by their success in the late war.

The old sincere respect for Parsees which the British in India had for generations entertained has now been unfortunately submerged by the British wave of general contempt for color. But justice and sympathy are the only means for preserving the hold of the British upon their world-wide possessions. That the average British statesman and British citizen of the day refuses to recognise this principle is a fact which it will not be too late for the Parsees now to realize.

During the last seven years the Parsee community and its members have hardly met with consideration and justice from the authorities. And it is naturally so because the Parsees form a microscopic minority from whom the British in India of the present day apparently think that they can expect no substantial help in times of emergencies. The safety and the best future interests therefore of the Parsees now lie in their combining with the sister communities for making head against the British wave of contempt for color through which the Anglo-Saxon nations are now passing and for securing justice for themselves and their country.

Mr. Horniman's rare abilities as a journalist and as a statesman and leader have been demonstrated by the chaotic condition of the country that prevailed during his long absence from India. His is the only influence that through its inherent justice can keep under control the communal conflicts in India.

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INDIAN RAILWAYS

The Administration Report for the Indian Railways, 1924-25, makes interesting reading for a variety of reasons, not the least important of which is the change of policy and procedure respecting railway finance. For the present Report is the first issued after the railway budget,—and consequently the railway finance,—had been separated from the general budget of the country: and the achievements since the change afford food for reflection. The railway budget was finally agreed to be separated from the general budget on the understanding that the railways would make a contribution to the general public revenues calculated on the capital invested in railways and equal to 1 per cent. of such capital invested in commercial lines, *plus* one-fifth of any surplus profits remaining after payment of the fixed one per cent. return. The surplus of profits, after paying this charge, if it exceeds three crores in any year, is further subjected to an additional contribution of 33 1/3 per cent. to the general exchequer, the remainder being allowed to be carried to the railway reserve. According to this arrangement, the net profit to the State from the railways aggregated 13.12 crores in the year under review as against 6.47 crores in the preceding year. The net receipts from the State lines represent a profit of 5.84 per cent. as against the 2.64 per cent. in 1921-22, the low watermark of railway returns to the State in India. The aggregate contribution of the commercial lines to the public exchequer is given in the Report at 7.98 crores in 1924-25, which may be increased to 8.94 crores if the net revenues of 1926-27 approximate the revenues of 1924-25. Allowing for the loss on the strategic lines, this makes a net contribution of Rs. 6.77 crores (or 7 73 crores) The contribution is the more remarkable, because, in the year under report, for the first time a depreciation charge has been made in the working expenses of railways, which may well be said to approximate correct commercial principles of depreciation provision. As compared with the actual working expenses for renewals and replacements in the year, the depreciation provision on this new basis is in excess by Rs. 3.05 crores. The railway revenue account, it must be admitted, has been relieved of the capital charge of redemption or annuities that used to be previously thrown on it; and it has further benefited by the refund of the customs duties heretofore charged on the railway stores, which a judicial decision has decreed to be not chargeable and which amounts to a very substantial sum.

With such a contribution from the railways, no wonder Sir Basil Blackett is in the most enviable position of repeating surplus budgets. It is the incurable vice of the present system of administration that in spite of such substantial benefits to the public revenues, the governing elements are anxious so hurriedly to commit themselves to new expenditure—for example the Lee Loot,—that the real benefit of these increases in revenue never comes to be enjoyed by the people at large in the shape of tax remissions, or more productive expenditure. We can scarcely call the tragi-comic farce of Royal Commission,—whether on agriculture or on currency,—to be productive expenditure, any more than we can describe the additions made by the Lee Report to the ordinary cost of civil administration in this country. The "Reforms" have proved to be a most costly "gift" as evidenced by considerations like these. The full force of even this consideration is not usually understood by the public at large, as the policy of leaving the balance of railway surplus to the railways themselves, effectively masks a possibility of serious injury to the people of India, which takes more than a glance below the surface of things to realise. Take the figures of this year alone by way of illustration. The total surplus from the railways was Rs. 14·22 crores, which, after the above-named deductions, still leaves to the railway administration a reserve of Rs. 6.35 crores. The amount is practically at the disposal of the railway administration, which may employ it to make the service cheaper (our railway service is far from being the cheapest in the world), or use it for further extensions of the railways. The former does not seem much in evidence in the current Report; and the latter finding favour with the present administrators necessarily burdens us with a huge estate whose outstanding characteristic is rapid depreciation and obsoleteness by every new invention or discovery made in the domain of transportation. India certainly needs facilities for transportation. But the facilities which the present railways provide are neither the cheapest nor the most suitable for Indian conditions. We have urged again and again in these columns the consideration of alternative means of transport, whether by road or by water, which may prove more economical than the railways possibly can; and the mischief of the present policy of running the Indian railway enterprise lies in its practically banging and bolting the door against such suitable alternatives developing. The ambition to develop and extend the railways more and more is writ large upon this and all past reports. There is not a thought given to the real service rendered by the railways, and its compatibility with the economic ability of Indian industry and commerce. There is not a thought given to the possible eventual limit on railway extension, which if considered at all, is often confused with analogies which do not apply and considerations which cannot hold. It is upto the Legislative Assembly to put forward these deeper considerations, when the next railway budget is presented on February 28. though perhaps for the present there cannot be much hope of such considerations coming to the front while the spokesmen of Indian public opinion in the legislature are busy with greater problems of nation-making.

Another point of general policy suggested by a study of the Report, concerns the Indianisation of the railway staff Notwithstanding the clear pronouncement of the Assembly for a policy of rapid Indianisation, there were in the first class railways in 1923-24 79.98 per cent. European officers and in the succeeding year this percentage was reduced to 78.51. If we take European and Anglo-Indian element as essentially the same, the total non-Indian strength was respectively 84.69 and 83.01 per cent. At this rate it will probably take sixty years at least before the entire railway service is Indianised,—a period longer even than that in which it is calculated that the Army in India will be wholly Indianised. We are, of course, not oblivious of all the paragraphs in the Report bearing testimony to the solicitude of the powers-that-be to give effect to the intentions of the Assembly in this behalf; but an appeal to the statistics of Indianisation leaves us cold with despair at the utter incorrigibility of the bureaucracy in India, which blunders on from injustice to injustice till the patience of even the most patient among us must give way. The occasion, then, of the next railway budget cannot be allowed to escape without a searching examination of points like these. We have no quarrel with the compilers of the Report under review for their elaborate exhibition of the advantages of additional railway construction for developing a major port on the Madras coast, Viziagapatam; but we cannot forget that the present railway rates policy is calculated to stifle all smaller ports, of which there are a number on the western coast at least; that such a stifling is not only injurious to the prosperity of the ports concerned, but is also inimical to the general well-being of the country's industry and commerce, which are thereby deprived of a cheap means of transport, and that, therefore, those who have the final shaping of the ultimate railway policy should see to it that in the pursuit of railway development they do not allow the wider economic interests of the country to be neglected or perverted.

PRISON REFORM

On Thursday Sir Leslie Wilson opened the Home for accommodation of released prisoners built by the Bombay Released Prisoners Aid Society at Byculla. The Home, as His Excellency said, marks a very important step in the development of the work of reform and aid of released prisoners which the Society is carrying on. "Every single man encouraged and helped to an honest life," Sir Leslie Wilson said, "is an asset to the State; everyone who sinks to the ranks of the hardened and habitual offender is not only a continual expense but brings discredit on the country." More self-regarding considerations alone, therefore, should induce the public to give to the Society the support which, Sir Norman Macleod deplored, it does not now receive to the extent it deserves. "One of the chief objects of the Released Prisoners' Aid Society," Sir Norman Macleod said, 'is to aid and advise first offenders, so that they may be deterred from venturing further on the downward path and eventually joining the band of habitual offenders for whom little can be done." The Society has achieved some success in this work But the problem of preventing first offenders from being transformed into habitual criminals cannot be solved by this method alone. It is in our prisons as they are administered to-day that the first offender is driven on the downward path. Hence the most effective way of dealing with the problem is, first, to agitate for and secure the transformation of our prisons from places for wreaking vengeance on those who violate the laws of society into institutions for reform and reclamation, and, second, to prevent, by a proper system of probation, as many first offenders as possible from being sent to jail at all. We trust Sir Leslie Wilson who takes a keen interest in this matter will mark his regime by initiating a courageous and radical measure of reform in the prison system and the administration of criminal justice.

Notes of the Day.

Their Solicitude

Mr. Baldwin is delighted to inform his countrymen that British trade in India is again on the upward grade, but he does not say under what conditions British industry is allowed to prosper in this country. The working classes in Great Britain will be shocked to learn from the report of Mr. Johnstone, M.P., who was recently in India, what these conditions are, particularly in the Calcutta jute industry. So great is the solicitude of the jute magnates for the well-being of their employees, that the average wage of 300,000 workers is about Rs. 15 a month. The death-rate amongst their children under ten years is fifty per cent. The jute industry thrives, the shareholders having gained during the decade ending 1924 ninety per cent. per annum on the capital. One can understand why the employers dislike Trade Unionism in India.

A Policy of Inaction.

Among the grounds on which Sir Bhupendra Mitter sought to defend the Government's policy of inaction regarding unemployment was the modification of the stores purchase rules with a view to enable more purchases being made in India and thereby encourage industries and provide employment for increasing number of people. Government have, indeed, been forced to recognise, in words at least, the immense effect on the industrial development of a policy exercised by careful and sympathetic treatment in regard to the purchase of stores for such concerns as State railways. But of the total stores of Rs. 20.83 crores purchased in 1924-25 as disclosed in the annual Report only 8.37 crores worth was purchased in India, of Indian make. The biggest items of Indian make are tools and material for permanent way, which is probably timber for sleepers for the most part. It is an unavoidable reflection on Indian railway administration that in spite of sixty years or more of their existence, they have not yet developed in the country such essential industries as wagon-making or locomotive-building. The Assembly cannot be satisfied by this snail's pace of progress in industrial development; and if the legislators come down heavily upon those who administer the Indian railways for this and other sins of commission and omission, they will have themselves to thank for the matter.

Distressed.

A European employer in Madras laments that it is necessary for Labour to realise its responsibilities not only to itself but to its employers. The trouble is that in India the employers have always been preaching about Labour's responsibilities to themselves, but have carefully avoided any mention of their own duties to Labour. Mr. Kay, the employer in question, who is President of the Employers' Federation of Southern India, is concerned about the "mischievous possibilities" of the Trade Union Bill now before the Assembly. The amended Bill provides that not less than one-third of the executive officers of a Union shall be workers in the industry concerned. Mr. Kay fears that the remaining two-thirds will be composed of outsiders. We can understand the hostility of employers to outsiders, men for example of the type of Mr. Joshi or Jhabwalla, but it is just these men, who are teaching Labour how to organise. More power to them!

The Reason Why.

Colonel Crawford, M. L. A., speaking on the resolution in the Legislative Assembly regarding the release of political prisoners, gave some astonishing reasons against such release. In his opinion, it was not the Government that suffered from revolutionary activities, it was the private citizen. In his defence of the action of the Government of India in interning on the flimsiest pretext anybody they like, the gallant Colonel said: "In my own country, the Free State of Ireland which is a free country, 12,000 men are interned without trial and will not be released until the conspiracy against the Government is absolutely broken." We should imagine it will not be broken, so long as that Government has not the courage to bring them up for an honest trial. But because the Free State authorities happen to be fond of these internments, is that any reason why the Indian Government should persist in their own cruel absurdity?

THE CONGRESS CANDIDATE.

DUTY OF VOTERS.

Mr. Jayakar has played the mephistophelian to perfection in effacing himself for the sake of the veteran Liberal of the narrowest mentality,—Dr. Paranjpye. If the apostle of the new creed of responsive co-operation —God only knows what response there can possibly be to nothing—has really meant to test the true sentiment of the country in regard to his new cry, it was upto him as a man of honour to enter the lists against all comers. Instead he retires like a tortoise into his shell, and allows the forces of reaction to raise their heads, simply because his much-advertised refinement could not stomach an exclusion from the holy of holies of the official caste. But Mr. Jayakar has flung down the gauntlet to the whole country,—and yet refuses to take up the glove cast at him in response to his challenge; so that the fight is over before it could begin,—in so far at least as the Thakurdwar luminary of the legal firmament is concerned.

Dr. Paranjpye v. Dr. Deshmukh

There now remains the tussle between Dr. Paranjpye and Dr. Deshmukh. The electors are to choose one or the other of them for a seat in the provincial Council, where the academic achievements of the candidates can have, if at all, a very subordinate place. Dr. Paranjpye is, unquestionably, a very much more experienced educationist,—though even the most resolute supporters of the ex-Minister of Sir George Lloyd and his associate in the imprisonment of Mahatma Gandhi—will find it hard to discover the precise contribution Dr. Paranjpye has made in the cause of education for which the country should remain grateful to him. As member of the Deccan Education Society, as member of the Bombay University Senate as Minister of the most reactionary and intolerant Governor we have ever had since the days of Sir Bartle Frere of memorable fame in connection with the ruin of the old Bank of Bombay, what has Dr. Paranjpye done that should procure him the suffrages of the graduate voters of this Presidency? Has he worked for the cause of mass education, has he laboured for the universal enlightenmen of the people at large? Did he ever stand out and fight to the finish against the autocratic extravagance of Sir George Lloyd of the Development scandal? True, Dr. Paranjpye was not a member of the Government when this most costly of all costly adventures of proconsular mania was determined upon; but the world knows Dr. Paranjpye to be too good a mathematician not to have perceived, if he had wanted to investigate into this scandal, if he had wanted honestly to secure funds for the starved department under his charge, the unspeakable wastage of this proposal. The excuse that it was not his department is as pitiful as that other excuse that he was not directly concerned for the arrest and imprisonment of Mahatma Gandhi to placate the wounded *amour propre* of Sir George Lloyd.

On the score of his achievements, negative if not positive, Dr. Paranjpye has not the ghost of a claim on the gratitude or confidence of the graduate voters of the Presidency. On the score of promises, which are lightly given in a season of electioneering enthusiasm, there is a still greater apprehension. Dr. Paranjpye has not been chastened by the criticism of his policy (sic) in the past; he chooses to be embittered and those whom he conceives to be leading the opposition against him must be prepared to face the wrath of the senior wrangler in its intensest measure. There are, however, considerations of University politics,—let alone the policy of the Presidency as a whole,—which make it extremely unsafe for the graduates of all districts outside the sacred preserves of Poona to return Dr. Paranjpye as their representative in the Council. He may be trusted to see to it that the reforming University is reconstructed on the most reactionary lines of maintaining the strangle hold of the vested interests. He may be trusted to see to it that the necessary funds are either not available for giving effect to proposals for University Extension and expansion; or, if they are available, to see to it that they are earmarked for his pet pedantry of a highly peculiar Poona University. For Dr. Paranjpye and those who think with him seem to hold the resources of the entire Presidency to be in mortgage for the unique and exclusive delectation of the Poona reactionaries. If Poona, for example, wants a University of the patented Paranjpye brand, the State must finance it entirely, whereas if any other part of the Presidency needs a University, no matter how badly it must find the wherewithal itself as a *sine qua non* for securing that university. If the graduates of Gujarat, Sind or the Southern districts of the Presidency want such a consummation let them return Dr. Paranjpye by all means: but otherwise. ?

The Congress Candidate

Dr. Deshmukh is our only alternative. He is not particularly well-known in University circles,—but, then, he may well ask: Is this a University election? He has no very great educational triumphs to his credit, but then he need not blush also for the doings and sayings Dr. Paranjpye is credited with. He has started late, no doubt; but whom has he to thank for that but the exquisite diplomacy of Mr. Jayakar, who would much rather see a Liberal and reactionary returned by the University than a staunch Congressman. But, as Dr. Deshmukh has rightly claimed, his candidature is a candidature of and on behalf of the Congress; and the hardships thrown in his path may well be counterbalanced by the zeal for the Congress. Dr. Deshmukh could have, perhaps, commended himself more effectively to his constituents if he had made more explicit pronouncement on the most vexed questions of the educational politics now agitating the Presidency; but as he has no intention to coquette for offices in the gift of the Government as his distinguished and learned predecessor seems to have done, his reticence could scarcely damage his cause. For the sake of the national self-respect; for the sake of asserting the independence of the most intellectual constituency in the Presidency; for the sake of the prestige and pre-eminence of the Congress, it is essential that Dr. Deshmukh should be returned with as heavy a majority as this short notice can secure.

CANDIDATES' SYMBOLS.

(By C. DURAISWAMI AIYANGAR M.L.A.)

On alighting in Bombay this morning on my way to Delhi I purchased a copy of the "Chronicle" to post myself with the latest news about the Assembly. After going through the substantial portions of your paper my eyes ran over the advertisements and were arrested by "Municipal Elections—Candidates Symbols." Thank God I am not one of the illiterate voters of Bombay. Else I should have been very much puzzled by a contemplation on the realities behind the symbols of the candidates. I do not know any of the candidates whose symbols are published in your issue of the 29th instant. If for want of better business to do while waiting for the Punjab mail I begin to speculate on the effects that the symbols may produce on the thinking brains of the voters let it not be understood that my remarks are deliberate—for it cannot be so though as it sometimes occurs even a casual indifferent remark may fit in admirably well. A "flower," for instance, may indicate freshness and charm for a short time and fading away soon after that. A "Sword" may not be relied on as it may be double-edged. A "Tiger" makes no distinction between the animals of its own forest or a different forest when it seeks its prey. There is no protection for cattle. A "Chair" may indicate that the candidate will stick to his seat without rising from it. "Bell" will use its sound as the occasion requires, as the time may require its service—I do not say "Time Serving." The "Horse" may bolt at any time having one of its front legs ready to do so. A collared stiff-necked "Man" is unapproachable. Women-suffragettes may dread him. For obvious reasons I do not harp on "Bird." As for the "Hand" the particular pose has a significance in Iconography and I refrain from saying anything on it.

So even the choice of symbols seems to be no easy affair when the candidates have to deal with rivals who may use their imagination to take oratorical advantages for themselves and against their opponents.

TRIFLES.

An English journal says of the middle class: "They make money with difficulty they save it no less hardly, and they live lives of unostentatious duty and effort." Our curiosity is tackled. How do they die? Theirs ought to be a peaceful passage to Heaven, after such a blameless existence.

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Russian scientists are making experiments, which prove that certain insects have the power of changing the temperature of their bodies by decreasing their activity. We too have political insects here, which change the colour of their wings when they want to reduce their (national) activity.

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The most fearful phase of canvassing begins to-day, the weather permitting. Friday afternoon was a failure because of the rain. The voters resented the splashings on the road and were in grumpy mood. The downpour of water was pleasing only to the vendors of milk.

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Dr. Paranjpye is vexed. His oath of office is said to stifle his voice, but in his embarrassment he is volleying oaths at critics. Lesson: Never go out of your way to take oaths under the Official Secrets Act.

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A barrister was examining a witness whom he had reason to suspect of deliberate perjury.

At length, becoming impatient, he asked very impressively: "Do you know the nature of an oath?"

"I do."

"Are you aware that you are commanded in the Bible not to bear false witness against the neighbour?"

"I am; but I'm not bearin' false witness agin' him. I'm bearin' false witness for him."

WAYFARER.

THE FUTURE OF IRAQ

THE TREATY CELEBRATIONS.

KING FAISAL'S "IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT."

LONDON, Jan. 28.

Baghdad.—An important announcement regarding the progressive policy of Iraq was made by King Faisal at a banquet at the British Residency in celebration of the passing of the new Anglo-Iraq Treaty which he described as a happy augury for the prosperity of Iraq, for the country had built great hopes on the continuation of British friendship. The King expressed anxiety in regard to Sir Ronald Lindsay's negotiations with the Angora Government in connection with the Mosul Question, and hoped that he would succeed in reaching an agreement which would herald the opening of a new era of friendship between Iraq and Turkey.

Referring to the racial problems confronting Iraq by the inclusion, within its boundaries, of the territories populated by large minorities such as the Kurds and Assyrians, King Faisal emphasised that Iraq did not propose to follow the mistakes of the Turks who endeavoured to Turkify all their subject races. The Kurds for example would be encouraged to cultivate their own nationality, language and traditions under the protection of the flag of Iraq.

The Acting High Commissioner, Mr. Bourdillon, said the Treaty would impress on the commercial and financial world the security of the future of Iraq and make a great difference in the attitude of foreign capital towards enterprises for the development of the country.—Reuter.

JAPANESE CABINET RESIGNS.

WAKATSUKI TO BE PREMIER.

LONDON, Jan. 28.

Tokio.—The Cabinet has resigned. Wakatsuki will succeed Viscount Kato as President of the Kenseikai or Government party.—Reuter.

LONDON, Jan. 28.

Tokio.—Wakatsuki has been appointed Acting Premier.—Reuter.

SIR GEORGE FORREST DEAD.

EX-PROFESSOR AND DIRECTOR OF RECORDS.

LONDON, Jan. 28.

London.—The death has occurred of Sir George Forrest.—Reuter's Special.

[Sir George William Forrest was born at Nusserabad in 1846. He was Fellow of the Bombay University, and read for the Bar (1870-72) and was a member of the Inner Temple. He was appointed by the Secretary of State for India to the Bombay Educational Department 1872, and was employed on special duty in connection with Bombay Records, (1884-88). He was made Professor of English History in the Elphinstone College in 1887, and the next year was appointed Director of Records, Bombay. Three years later he rose to be the Director of Records, of the Government of India which post he held till he retired in 1900. In 1898 he was made Assistant Secretary to the Government of India. In 1894 he was appointed Secretary to the Government of India, Patents Branch which post he also held till 1900. He was the author of several publications, including 'the selections from the State Papers preserved in the Bombay Secretariat ("Home Series"); and also the Maharatta Series; "the selections from the State Papers preserved in the Foreign Office Government of India, relating to Warren Hastings; "the History of the Indian Mutiny (vols 1, 2 and 3); the Life of Lord Roberts"; and "the Life of Lord Clive.")

"ANTINOE'S CREW RESCUED.

LONDON, Jan. 28.

New York.—The report of Captain Fried, skipper of s. s. "President Roosevelt", shows the heroism of the steamer's crew in rescuing s. s. "Antinoe's" men who were without food for two days, and were consequently too weak to take chance by jumping into the sea. The rescuing boats, manned by volunteers, were in a very dangerous position owing to a heavy swell which constantly threatened to smash them against the Antinoe's side. Twelve of the Antinoe's crew were rescued during a favourable spell. The captain and twelve others, who remained on board, are now reported to be rescued, the sea having apparently moderated.—Reuter's Special.

RUSSO-CHINESE UNDERSTANDING

LONDON, Jan. 29.

Moscow.—The Tass Agency states that as a result of exchange of views between the Soviet Consul-General at Mukden and Chang-tso-Lin the latter will order the officials and employes of the Chinese Eastern Railway to resume work.—Reuter.

EX-INDIAN ARMY OFFICER FOUND DEAD.

LONDON, Jan. 28.

Colonel Leslie Gwatkin-Williams, formerly of the Fifth Cavalry of the Indian Army, was found dead in his bath-room at his home in Gloucester Road, wounded in the throat.—Reuter's Special.

MILITARY MANOEUVRE IN TEHERAN.

LONDON, Jan. 28.

Teheran.—Before Reza Shah, a military manœuvre was held in which aeroplanes, armoured cars and tanks took active part.—Reuter.

COLOUR PREJUDICE IN INDIA

ROOT CAUSE OF ALL TROUBLE.

COL. GIDNEY BACK TO HIS "MOTHERLAND."

Col. H. Gidney, I.M.S., President of the Anglo-Indian Association, who headed the Deputation on behalf of the Anglo-Indian Association to England to agitate for securing the rights and privileges for the Anglo-Indians returned to Bombay by P. and O. mail steamer "Ranpura" on Friday morning. Col. Gidney was received by Mr. J. P. Thornber, President, Anglo-Indian Association Branch, Bombay, Mr. A. L. Atkins, Secretary, Travelling Secretary, Anglo-India and Domiciled European Association Indian and Burman, and Mr. E. Woodfall, Secretary, Amalgamated Society of Railway Servants of India, and was garlanded on behalf of their associations. A large number of Anglo-Indians were also present at the Mole to welcome their President back to India.

Interviewed by a representative of the "Bombay Chronicle", Col. Gidney said he was very glad to be back to his Motherland, India. He called India his Motherland because he thought that every Anglo-Indian and indeed every European who elected to settle himself in India should look upon India as his country and Motherland. The most pleasing part of his return, he said, was a sheaf of telegrams and messages he had received from all parts of India including those who had opposed the deputation, congratulating and welcoming him back. He looked upon this as a happy augury for the future because his chief object now was to create a feeling of unity, and cooperation between the various Anglo-Indian Associations in the country.

Asked as to the success of the Deputation's efforts in England, Col. Gidney said, during his stay in England he received much kindness, hospitality and courtesy from every one he came in contact with, but what struck him most was the colossal ignorance displayed by the majority of Englishmen relating to India in general. He also observed that out of the hundreds of officials who retired from India and went to England very few took any active part in the public life of Great Britain or even educated the English people about India. As to the result of his Deputation he said he was prevented from expressing any opinion, but would broadly state that he had received there every sympathy and was hopeful that some good result would accrue.

CAUSE OF TROUBLE IN INDIA.

"What impression did you have about the British Government's attitude towards India?" asked our representative, to which Col Gidney replied: "My impression is that the British Government are doing their utmost to help India in her desire to obtain Self-Government. I submitted that the chief cause of the present trouble in India was due not so much to the political forces as to the presumptuous superiority exercised by Englishmen on account of their white skin. I impressed upon the English people that the colour prejudice must be cured, or otherwise England will lose its hold which she now possessed upon the people of India. In my crusade against colour prejudice I made it clear in my speeches and particularly before the Empire Parliamentary Association which consisted of members of both the Houses of Parliament, viz., the House of Commons and the House of Lords, that no nation could claim "ownership of the gods." I have come with a message from the Anglo-Indian Association in England to my countrymen in India to which I heartily cooperate and that message is: peace, goodwill and unity."

Concluding, Col. Gidney said I want my people fully to appreciate and accept that they form one of the permanent people of this country. That they should closely associate with other communities in India and work with them for realising Indian aspirations. In future, we should think more and more of our Motherland, India, and her needs as a whole.

Col. Gidney is leaving Bombay for Delhi where he expects to be nominated on the Legislative Assembly on a seat which he previously held.

ANOMALOUS POSITION OF ANGLO-INDIANS.

In the evening Col. Gidney addressed public meeting at Sir C. J. Hall on the work done by him while in England, when Mr. E. E. Wood, M. L. C. presided. Mr. Wood in introducing Col. Gidney said during the seven months while he was in England Col. Gidney had accomplished many good things for Anglo-Indians. The whole problem that affected Anglo-Indians was in regard to their status as well as in relation to economy and he was glad to say that Col. Gidney's efforts in that direction had not gone in vain.

Col. Gidney then said that Anglo-Indians were considered by Government for minor purposes as Anglo-Indians, for political purposes statutory Indians and for defence of India Europeans. To clarify these issues that he went to England as his community refused to live under this anomalous condition. The Anglo-Indians, he said, were prepared to take their place side by side with Europeans and Indians but they wanted a definate status without any camouflage. If he was a European let the Government say so distinctly and if he was an Indian the Government also should plainly say him so. He was quite conscious that unless these issues were clarified Anglo-Indians under the Reform Act would make no progress.

He then dwelt at length on the rights of Anglo-Indian community to bear arms and join the army and said this right was given to other communities but was denied to the Anglo-Indian community though they were loyal to the Government and their loyalty was appreciated. On the last war two Anglo-Indians who were in the army brought down a Zeppelin and he wondered what the combined strength of the whole community would do if they were given the privilege of joining the army. He did not wish to say any thing in regard to his interview with Lord Birkenhead on this subject but would assure his community that he had created a body of supporters in England and he was hopeful that at no distant time the Indian Government would see that the question of colour prejudice does not prevail longer in the matter of conferring rights upon the Anglo-Indian community to join the army. The Anglo-Indians were conscripted for volunteer corps in the railways and he failed to see why Government should deny them the right of joining the army. The Anglo-Indian community scorned favours and stood upon their own legs and merits, what they wanted was their rights and nothing more.

The other question on which he agitated in England was in regard to the Indianization of the services and said the railways and telegraphs were worked mostly by the help of the Anglo-Indians and he urged upon the Secretary of State for India to safeguard their rights when the question of Indianization of the services came before him. Finally, he appealed to his community to walk hand in hand with Europeans and Indians to achieve dominion self-government for Indian and agitate for it on well measured and constitutional lines.

The meeting terminated with a vote of thanks to the chairman and Col. Gidney proposed by Mr. E. Woodfall and Mr. E. Atkins respectively.

BANK-NOTES AFFAIRS

PARLIAMENTARY ENQUIRY AT BUDAPEST.

CABINET READY TO RESIGN

LONDON, Jan. 29.

Budapest.—The forged bank-notes affair continues to be the subject of inquiry by a Parliamentary Committee. The Police inquiry demanded by the French authorities is also being pursued by the French Police Commissioner, M. Doulcet, who, it is reported, is urging the re-examination of Windisch Graet and Nadosy to clear up the alleged discrepancies in their evidence. M. Doulcet also declared that it must be ascertained as to where the paper used for the manufacture of the forged notes was procured and where the machinery used in the process was hidden for the French authorities expressed the opinion that it was yet to be found.

Count Bethlan, the Hungarian Premier, in a speech with regard to the affair declared that if it was found that the Cabinet had made mistakes they would resign. He said he was determined to clear up the affair and Government had nothing to hide. Attacks from abroad originated from some of the despicable Hungarians who knew that their only chance of success was to plunge the honest leaders into the mire.—Reuter.

POLICY IN NEAR EAST.

FRANCO-BRITISH COLLABORATION

LONDON, Jan. 29.

The "Excelsior" remarks it will be natural enough if Britain sought to enlist the eventual support of Italy for its policy in the Near East if only to give the Turks something to think about. But, the paper says, no Mediterranean agreement is possible without France. Therefore M. Briand and Sir A. Chamberlain approached the questions of Morocco, Egypt, Syria, and Mosul in a spirit of loyal collaboration.—Reuer.

DISARMAMENT CONFERENCE.

WILL IT BE POSTPONED ?

LONDON, Jan. 29.

Paris.—According to newspapers Briand-Chamberlain conversations dealt with the date of the Preparatory Disarmament Conference, reduction of Allied forces in the Rhineland, Mosul, Morocco, Egypt, Syria, the Chinese crisis and certain claims of the Italian Government with regard to territories bordering Abyssinia and the Red Sea. The possibility of postponing the Disarmament Conference until Germany has fulfilled her disarmament obligations was also considered. M. Briand will submit the question of reduction of the Allied forces in the Rhineland to a Military Council including Marshal Foch, General Petain and M. Painleve.—Reuter.

SPIRIT OF CO-OPERATION.

LONDON, Jan. 29.

Paris.—A Havas Agency message says:—The papers note with satisfaction the great cordiality of conversations between M. Briand and Sir A. Chamberlain and state that they dealt also with questions relating to Tangier, Morocco, Egypt, Syria and Chinese affairs in a spirit of co-operation and taking into account particular interests of both the nations.—Reuter.

CHAMBERLAIN-BRIAND POURPARLERS

LONDON, Jan. 28.

Sir A. Chamberlain and M. Briand had two hours' conversation at the Quai D'Orsay, this morning, when they discussed the whole range of subjects of Anglo-French interest—except debt—but no decisions were taken. Subsequently M. Briand, interviewed, said no obstacles were encountered, and everything could be easily settled. He added that the problem of Allied troops in the Rhineland would be settled in the spirit of Locarno.

Later the Society of Friends of France entertained Mr. Chamberlain at luncheon at Crillon Hotel when Mr. Chamberlain declared that Franco-British friendship was the basis of the foundation of a new Europe.—Reuter.

RABINDRA NATH TAGORE

"GREAT LIVING SPIRITUAL PERSONALITY".

MR. ANDREWS ON BENGAL RENAISSANCE

CAPE TOWN, Jan. 28.

Most appropriately, when the Indian position in South Africa is vividly before the public, Rev. C. F. Andrews gave a brilliant lecture on Dr. Rabindranath Tagore. A distinguished gathering attended and showed intense interest, and indeed prolonged discussion till a late hour, exhibiting deep appreciation of Dr. Tagore and interest in India as the home of religious culture and intellectual enlightenment. Mr. Andrews began by describing the renaissance in Bengal where East and West had met on a higher plane of literature and art, and emphasising Ram Mohan Roy's supreme genius as the founder of the renaissance movement. Dr. Rabindranath came in direct succession in carrying out Ram Mohan Roy's ideals. Mr. Andrews stressed Dr. Rabindranath's world influence as a peace-maker between East and West and as an inspirer of international fellowship. Referring to the Poet's institution of Visvabharati with its sole object of a world brotherhood, Mr. Andrews concluded by calling Dr. Tagore the greatest living spiritual personality.—Reuter's Special.

'NO PREFERENCE TO BRITISH MANUFACTURER."

REPORT OF INDIA STORE DEPT. IN LONDON.

LONDON, Jan. 28.

The report of the India Store Department in London, issued as a White paper, shews that the contracts placed in 1924-25 total nearly five millions sterling. The percentage of stores purchased abroad was 12.7 compared with 8.3 in 1923-24. The report states categorically that the British manufacturer receives no preference of any kind in the allocation of orders.—Reuter's Special.

VOTE OF CONFIDENCE IN GOVERNMENT.

PASSED BY REICHSTAG.

LONDON, Jan. 28.

Berlin.—The Reichstag by 160 to 149 votes passed a vote of confidence in the Government, 151 members abstained from voting. The result was only possible by a number of the Nationalists leaving the Chamber.—Reuter.

GERMANY TO ENTER LEAGUE.

LONDON, Jany. 28.

Berlin.—The vote of confidence confers on Dr. Luther a mandate to carry out the policy of Locarno, the consummation of which will be Germany's early entry into the League.

The Reichstag was packed with many distinguished visitors, including the English and American Ambassadors. Dr. Stresemann made a statement and gave an assurance that the Allies' promises regarding the Occupied Zone would be given effect to immediately the Locarno Agreement came into force. In the course of the debate, the Extremist Henning was ordered to leave the Reichstag following his description of the Cabinet as a Government of Hangmen.

Figures of the voting were read out amidst tense silence which was finally broken by uproarious cheers and counter-cheers.—Reuter's Special.

COLOGNE ZONE EVACUATIO

TO BE COMPLETED ON SUNDAY.

LONDON, Jan. 28.

Paris.—The Conference of Ambassadors has notified the German Ambassador that the Allied evacuation of the Cologne zone will be completed by midnight of 31st January.—Reuter.

GANDHIJI FEELS BETTER.

WEIGHT REDUCED BY SIX POUNDS AND A HALF.

AHMEDABAD Jan. 29.

Mr. Gandhi is now feeling better. He is, however, taking only milk and fruit. He has agreed to take iron arsenic injections when he begins to take food. His weight has been reduced from 104 pounds to 97 and half pounds.—A. P

ITALO-GERMAN DISAGREEMENT.

LONDON, Jany. 29.

A demonstration of the students of Florence University who, according to a Rome message, have protested against an "Anti-Italian campaign in Germany" is the latest phase of Italo-German disagreement which the newspapers state is seriously straining their relations. The trouble is a long-standing one, and it is believed that it originated in the boycott of Italians organised in Bavaria as a protest against the alleged attempts of Italy to stamp out Germanism in those parts of Tyrol which formerly belonged to Austria.

According to the "Daily Telegraph" Sgr. Mussolini has sent a sharp note to Germany threatening that unless the Bavarian association is dissolved Germans and German goods will be barred from admission to Italy. Germany has replied in a conciliatory tone disclaiming Government's responsibility for the association which, it says, is private.—Reuter.

GOVERNMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT

FICTION ABOUT "HOARDED WEALTH"

LALAJI AND IMPERIAL BANK RESERVES.

DELHI, Jany. 28.

Discussion on the unemployment resolution was resumed in the Legislative Assembly to-day, after lunch. Lala Lajpat Rai said that the question of unemployment was not confined to one or two provinces but was felt throughout India and must, therefore, be dealt with as such by Central Government. Government must recognise that their duty did not end by providing for defence and for maintenance of law and order. It consisted also in seeing that people prospered every day. Prosperity of people should not be judged by figures collected by a few persons in Government offices, but by actual condition of people which was known by their leaders and not by the officials who lived in bungalows and drawing-rooms. Practically all classes suffered from unemployment due to foreign Government. The fiscal policy of Government and the sale of reverse council had for instance created unemployment among traders. Speaker felt disappointed at the speech of Mr. Calvert. It showed that no foreign bureaucrat, however, well-intentioned could understand real economic condition of people. Mr. Calvert did not realize that if educated men took to industry of manufacturing iron, iron Persian wheels they would thereby displace pot industry in villages.

Continuing, Lala Lajpat Rai said Mr. Calvert had spoken of the hoarded wealth but did he realize that the large reserves at the disposal of Government put in the Imperial Bank were mostly employed by foreign trader and did not help the small indigenous industries.

Mr. Joshi supported Mr. Sadiq Hasan's amendment for enquiry into the unemployment of all classes.

Rev. MacPhail and Mr. B. C. Pal then spoke.

SIR B. N. MITRA'S SPEECH.

Sir B. N. Mitra said he himself had taken some part in relieving middle-class unemployment some time ago, and even now he was receiving a large number of letters every day appealing for appointments.

Continuing, Sir B. N. Mitra said he was surprised to see the strongest advocates of provincial autonomy now arguing in the Assembly that in this matter of industrial development and other connected subjects, the Government of India should intervene. He asked the House whether the need for such an intervention was established. (Cries of 'Yes.') Had not the provincial Governments taken sufficient action already? (Cries of No, no.) He knew that the Bengal Government appointed a committee more than two years ago.

Mr. Kabiruddin Ahmed: Has not that Committee suggested spinning schools?

Sir B. N. Mitra, proceeding, said: There were also resolutions passed in the Madras and U. P. Legislative Councils on this question. The Industrial Commission's Recommendations could not be given effect to by the Central Government as industries became a transferred subject, but Local Governments had taken and were taking steps in the matter. The Government of India had, however, gradually developed the Stores Department and had considerably modified the rules of the Department for the purchase of articles as far as possible in India and further modification of rules on this subject was under consideration. The Skeen Committee was enquiring into the matter of appointing Indians as officers in the Army and the Government of India had been adopting more vigorous policy in regard to development of railways.

AMENDMENT OF LALAJI CARRIED.

The amendment of Lala Lajpat Rai was to the effect that the proposed Committee with a non-official majority should investigate the problem of unemployment in general and among the educated classes in particular and devise suitable remedies whether by a system of industrial and technical education or by offering encouragement to the starting of new industries or by opening new avenues of employment. This amendment was put to vote and carried by 48 votes against 46.

S. AFRICAN DEBATE POSTPONED.

Before the Assembly adjourned till Monday, Sir Alexander Muddiman in seeking postponement of the debate on South Africa said: "Sir, it is frequently my fate to have to make statements to this House which indicate wide differences of opinion between the Government and some parts of this House. To-day, I am fortunate in being in the position that I am dealing with a subject on which every member of this House is in the same camp. I refer to the treatment of Indians in South Africa. Now, next on the paper is a resolution by Mr. Gaya Prasad Singh which deals with that subject. There is also an amendment in the name of Pandit Motilal Nehru which is, I know, powerfully backed by another Party also. Now the discussion of the motion and the amendment at this particular juncture will, in the considered opinion of the Government of India, prejudice the position in South Africa when negotiations are at a very difficult and critical stage. I, therefore, ask the mover of the resolution and the House to consider whether in the best interests of those we are seeking support in the maintenance of their rights, it would not be proper and wise to postpone the discussion till later in the current session. The attitude of this House and the advice of the Standing Committee on this matter have so far been a source of real strength and assistance to Government, and I cannot believe that we cannot rely on that feeling being continued. The Government of India on the other hand have done all that they can themselves to bring about a [illegible] settlement, and I need hardly give the assurance that they will continue to do so. I will, however, recall His Excellency the Governor-General's statement, viz., 'I and my Government are at one with the general feelings in India' (applause.) I would, therefore, ask Mr. Gaya Prasad Singh, in whose name the resolution stands, not to move it to-day on the definite understanding that the Government will give this House an opportunity of considering it and any amendments to it before the expiry of the current session. The exact date would, of course, be to a great extent dictated by the march of events in South Africa, but I will arrange to keep in touch with the parties in this House and as far as possible fix a date suitable to all."

MR GAYA PRASAD'S CONCURRENCE

Mr. Gaya Prasad Singh said, he had no intention of embarassing the Government and the House, agreed to postponement.—A.P.

COLOUR WAR IN S AFRICA

SECOND READING OF BILL CERTAIN.

WILL SENATE REJECT IT AGAIN?

Mr. C. F. Andrews wires from Cape Town under date January 29:—

The second reading of the Colour Bar Bill is certain to be passed. It cannot be prevented; but the Senate will reject it again.

PRINCE OF WALES PROGRESSING WELL

LONDON Jan. 29.

It is officially learned that the Prince of Wales spent a good night and is progressing satisfactorily. In view of the circumstances issue of a formal bulletin is improbable.—Reuter.

DETAILS OF ACCIDENT.

LONDON, Jan. 28.

The accident to the Prince of Wales occurred at Little Shelton. The injuries consist of a fracture to the left collar-bone and bruises. He was assisted by several of his followers. The Prince was conveyed in a motor-car to a local surgery, where he was treated.

The accident to the Prince of Wales occurred in the open country. Hounds were going at great pace, and a big field was following. The Prince took a difficult hedge flanked by two ditches. His horse cleared the obstacle, but stumbled and fell. His Royal Highness looked cheerful and well on his arrival in London. He assured the people who had assembled to welcome him that he was "perfectly all right."

FRACTURE SET.

LONDON, Jany. 28.

The Prince of Wales's fracture has been set and X-rayed, and it has proved to be a perfectly clean and simple break. There are no complications, and rapid and complete recovery is confidently expected.—Reuter.

It is stated officially that, according to the present indications, the Prince of Wales' engagements will not be interfered with by the accident. The Prince spoke over telephone, this afternoon, to his Private Secretary at York House when he made very light of the accident. His Royal Highness will leave for London in the evening.—Reuter.

SIR EARNEST TROUBRIDGE DEAD

LONDON, Jan. 29.

Paris.—A message from Biarritz reports the death of Sir Ernest Troubridge of heartfailure.—Reuter's Special.

[The late Sir E. Troubridge had a distinguished Naval career. Born in 1862, he served as Naval Attache at Vienna, Madrid and Tokio from (1901-1904) he was Captain and Chief of Staff Mediterranean (1907-8), Chief of the War Staff, Admiralty (1911-12) and Commanded the Mediterranean Cruiser Squadron in 1912. He headed the British Naval Mission to Serbia in 1915, was appointed Admiral Commanding on the Danube in 1918 and promoted Admiral in 1919. He was the President of the International Commission of the Danube, (1919-24). He had received several distinctions for his services.]

CABLE ITEMS

Sydney.—The official Board of Control has approved of the selection of Arthur Richardson, Woodful and Ellis in the test team to tour England. No decision will be taken for some days regarding the sending of the 16th man.—Reuter's Special.

London.—In the Rugby County Championship on Thursday, Gloucestershire beat Devon by ten points to three at Gloucester.—Reuter's Special.

Madrid.—An official despatch from Morocco announces that as the result of further tribal surrenders, communications between Centa, Tetuan and Tangier are now believed to be secure.—Reuter.

Damascus.—The Hedjaz railway was cut on the night of the 26th January at Kilometre eleven. An armoured train was derailed. All communications have been interrupted.—Reuter.

Geneva.—The Administrative Council of the International Labour Office has passed a new amendment presented by Sir Louis Kershaw by which all delegates to the International Labour Conference will be entitled to be present at the deliberations, but only the members of the Committees will be entitled to vote.—Reuter.

London Jan. 28.—Sir George Bullock, late Deputy Commissioner in Berar, is dead.—Reuter's Special.

ROWDY MEETING AT NAGPUR

VOTE OF NON-CONFIDENCE AGAINST PRESIDENT

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT)

NAGPUR, Jan. 29.

In the annals of the present day controversy, which is fiercely raging between the responsive co-operationists and the No-change Swarajists yesterday's meeting of Nagpur Nagar Congress Committee held in the Town Hall was memorable in many ways. The meeting was called expressly for passing a vote of nonconfidence against Dr. Cholkar for having taken an active part in favour of responsive co-operationists although he held the office of the President of the Committee. Long before the appointed time the visitors' galleries and corridors were packed to the utmost capacity. Immediately after the Secretary read notice of the meeting Dr. Cholkar, President commenced the proceedings but the No-change section strongly persisted in choosing another president. Mr. Avari, a member of the local Satyagriha Ashram, occupied the chair near Dr. Cholkar. This created much disorder and tension between the opposite parties raged so high that Mr. Niyogi, President of the Municipal Committee requisitioned police aid but after Messrs. Cholkar and Avari had emphatically asked the police to leave the Hall the City Superintendent of Police left the meeting place. After a prolonged debate extending over complete four hours peace was restored and Mr. Niyogi moved the following motion of adjournment:

"Dr. Cholkar who is alone the President of the meeting duly convened and that this meeting has now ceased to be a Congress meeting since 7 p.m. upto 10-30 owing to the presence of many outsiders in the meeting and that there has been such intensity of feeling that the meeting was saved from the brink of rioting and disorder to the extent that the police had to be brought by the President of the Municipality in order to prevent a breach of peace and that no work in connection with the Congress was any longer possible, this meeting do stand adjourned."

Dr. Moonje while supporting said that he was quite prepared to refer the dispute regarding the President of the Nagar Congress Committee to higher Congress authorities but his appeal failed to convince the opposite party.

Mr. Ruikar then proposed, "This meeting under Mr. Avari's presidentship having passed a resolution as recommended by the Executive Committee by 96 votes against 2, others remaining neutral, adjourns *sine die* as no further work was possible."

Dr. Khare supported. Dr. Cholkar then declared the meeting adjourned and was followed by Mr. Avari who made a similar statement amidst shouts on both sides. After this no-change section led by Messrs. Ruikar, Dhavale and Dr. Khare in another meeting under Mr. Avari's presidentship adopted a resolution expunging from the Committee's records Mr. Niyogi's motion for adjournment and dispersed. 167 members were present.

Yesterday's meeting has been the topic of the day throughout the city.

ANOTHER REPORT

NAGPUR, Jan. 29.

A meeting of the Nagpur Nagar Congress Committee was convened at the Town Hall by the Secretary of the Nagar Congress Committee with a view to pass a vote of censure on Dr. Cholkar, President of Nagar Congress Committee because he had not expressed his views agreeing with the Cawnpore Congress resolution and he was suspected to hold views of responsive co-operationists. Before the members of the Nagar Congress Committee assembled Dr. Cholkar was in the presidential chair. As the proposed vote of censure was against Dr. Cholkar it was proposed that he should not preside and Mr. Avari was proposed to the chair. Mr. Avari took the chair amidst uproarious scenes. Dr. Cholkar did not vacate the chair and both occupied the chairs. The proceedings were rendered impossible. Mr. Avari read the resolution of vote of censure but the opposing party made a tremendous noise. The meeting was very disorderly and noisy and full of cries of "shame." Mr. Niyogi, President of the Nagpur Municipal Committee, sought the help of the police for dispersing the meeting but police were patiently watching the proceedings. From 6 to 10 p.m. no party left the Hall and both the Presidents were in the dais and shouts and counter-shouts were going on for full four hours.

PARTIES TIRED OF MAKING NOISE.

Eventually both the parties felt exhausted and got tired of making noise in the hall. Mr. Niyogi then proposed "that Dr. Cholkar alone was the President of this meeting duly convened and that this meeting had now ceased to be a meeting of the Nagpur Nagar Congress Committee, since 7 p.m. upto now 10-30 p.m., that this meeting be adjourned because it has ceased to be a meeting of the Congress Committee since many outsiders are sitting in the hall and taking part in it and there has been severe intensity of feeling and that the meeting was saved from the brink of rioting and disorder to the extent that the police had to be brought by the President of the Nagpur Municipal Committee in order to prevent a breach of the peace among the people assembled and it is impossible that any work can be done with a dispassionate mind."

The above resolution was seconded by Dr. Moonje, the leader of the responsive co-operationists.

Mr. Ruikar proposed "this meeting held under the presidency of Mr. Avari having passed the resolution recommended by the Executive Committee by 96 votes to 2, others remaining neutral, adjourns for the time being as it is impossible to proceed with the future work of the committee."

Mr. Ruikar's resolution was seconded by Dr. Khare, M.L.C.

Dr. Cholkar protested to Mr. Avari against his reading Mr. Ruikar's resolution.

After these two resolutions were proposed, Dr. Cholkar and his party headed by Dr. Moonje left the meeting without putting their resolution to vote.

The meeting then considered its work under the presidentship of Mr. Avari. In view of the fact that the oppositionist element had left the meeting Mr. Ruikar withdrew his motion of adjournment with the permission of the House.

The meeting was dissolved after it had been declared that the proceedings held under the presidentship of Mr. Avari only were legal.

It is now understood that the condemnation resolution when put to vote was supported by 98 members who gave their signatures in writing two voted against, others remaining neutral.

Members present were about 125.—A.P.

MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS.

(Continued from page 7.)

to make his exertions successful for obtaining justice for Indians.—Yours, etc.

PARSEE

Bombay, 28th January 1926.

MR. TAIRSEE'S CANDIDATURE.

TO THE EDITOR OF "THE CHRONICLE."

Sir,—It is with great pain that I have read about the treatment given to my friend Mr. L. R. Tairsee at one or two meetings and about the agitation that has been set up against his candidature. I have my differences with Mr. Tairsee, in political and religious matters, though I venture to believe that in both these directions our aim is common, Swaraj in the former and a wholesale reform in the latter. While it is true that our methods differ widely, I cannot forget that we were co-workers in the past, and I may still hope, shall be co-workers again in the future. But differences notwithstanding, I think, I owe it to him here publicly to assert that he has been a most valuable member of the Municipal Corporation, fearless, hardworking, sincere and unselfish, and by electing him once more the city will be honouring itself.—Yours, etc.

JAMNADAS DWARKADAS.

Jan. 28.

A WORD TO THE "F" WARD VOTERS

TO THE EDITOR OF "THE CHRONICLE."

Sir,—For the six seats allotted to the F. Ward more than a dozen candidates are contesting in the forthcoming Municipal elections. The responsibility on the voters of this Ward is certainly great, as they have to use their discretion to the utmost in choosing their representatives among the candidates. A suggestion will not be out of place at this moment. Of the 15 candidates only 3 are chosen by the Nationalist Municipal Party and the voters should without any hesitation return these three candidates, preferably at the top. Without wanting to draw any invidious distinctions may I say that Mr. Pothan Joseph has the greatest claim to the suffrage of the F Ward voters. It must be remembered that Mr. Joseph is not placed in the same advantageous position as others are. He is no land-lord, no big merchant but essentially one of the common people. His only object in going to the Corporation is to serve the poor, whose conditions he knows best as one of themselves. His record as a journalist, always making the cause of the poor and the oppressed as his own, is his only claim upon the voters. I hope the voters of F Ward will only enhance their own reputation by returning Mr. Pothan Joseph at the head of all the candidates.—Yours, etc.,

S. S.

DUTY OF SOUTH INDIAN VOTERS.

TO THE EDITOR OF "THE CHRONICLE."

Sir,—While being grateful to you for the courtesy shown to me before now, I wish that a word more to my friends, the South Indian and other Madrasi residents of F. Ward, on the eve of the Municipal Election through your journal, will not be deemed as an undue incursion on the generosity of your columns.

Monday next is the day for measuring the civic consciousness of this city and let us not stand before the world, by our negligence and slothfulness, stigmatised as a class devoid of any civic consciousness. Proverbially conservative and un-nationalistic as we, the South Indians, are in the vision of some, the doings of our friends and brethren in the Capital of the Southern Presidency, during the recent Municipal Election there, have thro wnthe lie direct to the charge and have extracted applause and appreciation even from unwilling hands such as the "Evening News" of this city. Free from the degenerating force of Brahmin—Non-Brahmin feeling among us here, we are in a decidedly better position to add more lustre to the dignity and self-respect earned for us by them in the field of civic life. Let us show to our brethren here, by flooding the Polling Booths in large numbers in support of the Congress candidates, that we are as much nationalists as they themselves are. Among these is Mr. Pothan Joseph who is an eminent South Indian. South Indians, one and all, must make sure of his return to the Corporation, along with his fellow Congress candidates.—Yours, etc.,

K. N. RAMIER,

MANDVI ELECTION MEETING POSTPONED.

The meeting called by the "Mandvi Kirti Rakshaka Mandal" last night at Mandvi, Bhat Bazar, was postponed on account of the rain. It will be held to-morrow, Sunday, at 9 p.m. (S.T.).

RECEPTION TO MR. HORNIMAN AT PIRWADI FAIR

OPENING OF SWADESHI EXHIBITION

The residents of Konkan District gave a reception and address to Mr. B. G. Horniman on the occasion of the celebration of the annual fair of the Durgah of Mukim Shah at Pirwadi (Uran) on Thursday evening. Mr. Horniman was taken to Uran by a special steam launch. On arrival at Uran, Mr. Horniman was garlanded and presented with the address at a public meeting presided over by M. M. I. Jitekar. Among those present at the meeting which was very largely attended were Messrs. Osman Sobani, Dr. Khatkhate, Mr. Farooqi, Mr. Bhaiji, Mr. Masih, Mr. Khatri, Mr. Ghagrat and many prominent local men. Several ladies too were present. Mr. R. M. Jaffer Tungaiker read the address to Mr. Horniman wherein the residents of Konkan District thanked him for his manifold services to India and in particular for his courageous "fight for truth and freedom" prayed for God's choicest blessings on him. Mr. Jaffer Tungaikar, Dr. Khatkate and Mr. Maniar addressed the meeting referring to Mr. Horniman in highly appreciative terms.

SWADESHI EXHIBITION.

Mr. Horniman thanked the people assembled for their kind address and affectionate welcome. In response to the request of the meeting Mr. Horniman then opened the Swadeshi Industrial Exhibition that had been organised in connection with the fair. He was then taken round the fair and the Exhibition, a special attraction of which was a beautiful model of the Uran salt pans specially designed by Mr. Tungaikar junior. He was then entertained to dinner by Mr. Tungaikar, and, after a display of fireworks arranged specially in his honour, he was given a hearty send-off.

BENEFIT PERFORMANCE AT BANDRA.

MR. HORNIMAN TO PRESIDE

The Kirloskar Sangat Mandali will stage their play "Shaha-Shivaji" to-day (Saturday) at 8-30 p.m. (S.T.) at the Elphinstone Theatre, Grant Road, Bombay, for the benefit of the Bandra Town Congress Committee. Mr. B. G. Horniman will preside over the function. It is well-known that the Suburban District Congress Committee had collected a sum of over two lakhs rupees for the Tilak Swaraj Fund. Out of this sum more than 80 per cent. was either given away to the Superior Congress Bodies or else utilized for the purpose for which it car-marked. Thus the Village Committees which are the real working bodies were practically starved. After the collections referred to above the Village Committees have not been able to make any fresh collections, and they have been spending out of their capital funds with the result that almost every Village Congress Committee has a very short balance on its hands. It is therefore delightful to note the Kirloskar Sangit Mandali coming forward with its offer of help to the Bandra Town Congress Committee. It is expected that the patriotic public of the Suburbs, especially of Bandra, will patronise the show. A special train has been arranged to start from Grant Road at 2.30 a.m. (S.T.) after the drama for passengers upto Andheri. Other Suburban passengers not able to return home will be lodged at the Arya Bhavan, Sandhurst Road, West, Bombay, in the office of the Bombay Suburban District Congress Commitee. Tickets can be had from the Office of the Bandra Town Congress Committee, Khar and Hill Road, Corner, Bandra, or of the Volunteers or of the Kirloskar Sangit Mandali, Bombay.

SHOOTING TRAGEDY

The accidental discharge of a loaded gun resulted in the death of a labourer Babu Waman (21)

Mr. M. R. B. Nimbalkar, head master of the Agricultural School, Jambul, in Kalyan Taluka, was out shooting in the grounds of the School. Coming across Babu Waman engaged on preparing a bund (dam), the head master stopped there to instruct him as to the right way of putting the bund. The gun, he was carrying, went off accidently injuring Babu in the thigh.

The injured man was immediately attended to and taken to Kalyan hospital, where the leg was amputated. Later on Babu was brought down to J. J. Hospital where he died of septic poisoning.

The Coroner is inquiring in the matter and hence the inquest is adjourned.

MAULANA SHAUKAT ALI AT RANGOON

RANGOON, Jan. 29.

Maulana Shaukat Ali and Abul Kalam Azad arrived here this morning from Calcutta and were warmly received by a large gathering of Indians at the wharf. They then proceeded to Fytche Square where a public reception was given to them.—A.P.

Lahore.—It is understood that 16 Akali leaders are still under trial, and proceedings against them are being continued before a special magistrate. These prisoners belong to an extreme wing of the Akali Party and have so far refused to follow the procedure adopted by others in obtaining release.—A.P.

Ahmedabad, Jan 29th.—The Jaipur Police with the assistance of the local police arrested last night at Kalupur Chakla two dacoits of Jaipur who were absconding and staying here incognito.—A.P.

The opening date for the eighth session of International Labour Conference which will be held at Geneva has now been fixed for the 26th May. The ninth session which will be held immediately after the eighth will open on the 7th June.—A.P.

AMUSEMENTS.

THE DENISHAWN DANCERS.

The Denishawn Dancers who opened their season in Bombay on Thursday night, will continue at the Excelsior Theatre throughout the week. Miss Ruth St. Denis immediately danced herself into the hearts of her audience, while the show as a whole is undoubtedly the best of its kind that ever visited India. The dance scenes are all wonderfully arranged, while the incidentals—music and lighting—leave little to be desired. There can be no doubt that the Denishawn Dancers will have a very successful season, and in anticipation of this they have decided to have two mid-week matinees the first on February 3 and the second on February 11. There will be a complete change of programme on Monday, and another on Friday, February 5 and yet another change will be made later on. So that every opportunity is being given for one and all to experience the pleasure of seeing these talented artistes perform.

EMPIRE.

Something in the nature of an epic drama is promised for the Empire Theatre this week, where D. W. Griffith's "The Birth of a Nation" is the main attraction. It is an historical play and tells the story of the re-birth of the American nation through the storm and sress of internecine strife. It covers a wide range of American history and touches only the highest points of interest in the great events that preceded and terminated the American Civil War, and traces the part that slavery played in producing the crisis, from its inception to its abolition. The production is also noteworthy from a spectacular point of view, the decisive battles of the Civil War being reproduced in faithful detail—for which no fewer than 18,000 people and 3,000 horses had to be engaged. There are thrills in plenty and the cream of these are the night rides of the Ku Klux Klan, ghostly garbed crusaders who dash along moonlit country roads. The screen stars who help to thread together the historical details include Henry B. Walthall, Lillian Gish, Mae Marsh, Miriam Cooper, Mary Alden, Josephine Crowell, Ralph Lewis, Joseph Henabery, Raoul Walsh and several others. The programme also includes a Pathe Gazette.

EMPRESS.

"When Knighthood was in Flower," which has proved such a success at the Empire Theatre during the past week, is transferred to the Empress. Marion Davies, to some cinema patrons the most beautiful woman of the screen re-lives the life of Royalty in the time of Henry VIII, and to such purpose that it makes one regret that one is destined to spend one's life in the twentieth century and not in the times of knights and their ladies fair. A topical helps to complete the bill.

EXCELSIOR.

A drama redolent of home and home life, "Gleam O' Dawn," is being shown at the Excelsior Theatre this week. Love and hate both play large parts in the development of the story, and, as is only right, love overcomes hate in the end and everything works out ats it should. John Gilbert in the part of O'Dawn gives us a wonderful bit of emotional acting, and as the play itself deals directly with one of the vital problems of life it is sure to be seen with interest by the and all. "Hollywood Kid" in two parts is a comic that is guaranteed to make you laugh, while Madan's Weekly Review will provide the necessary instruction to round up an entertaining programme.

PATHE

"One Glorious Night" the new Columbia feature picture, which opens at the Royal Opera House to-night for one week's run, is a story of the mistake a young girl made in entering a hasty marriage. She was born with an appreciation of the finer things in life, but circumstances made her a shop girl, subject to the whims and fancies of customers who did not know what they wanted, if anything at all. She met a man who fell in love with her and offered her all the things that she had always dreamed of—a private yacht, motor cars, a wonderful home with a continuous succession of parties, dinners and dances. The fly in the ointment was her husband's mother, who he'd the purse strings and who was vain and ambitious. She had been very much disappointed in her son not having made a brilliant match and did all she could to make her daughter-in-law uncomfortable. The final straw was her statement that she would not tolerate any grandchildren in her home.

Elaine Hammerstein rises to new heights in this picture and is admirably supported by Al Roscoe and a large company of competent actors.

GLOBE.

Chapters 4, 5 and 6, namely "Buried Alive," "Desert Trails" and "The Tomb of a King," of the Pathe serial "The Fortieth Door" are being shown to-night and during the current week at the Globe Cinema Aimee, whose hopes soared high when Jack Ryderso mysteriously appeared before her and then were dashed to the ground when Hamid turned the tables on Jack, is in utter despair for her lover's fate. Hamid promises her not to "harm a hair of his head" but Hamid is wily and clever and will stop at nothing to prevent the escape of Aimee, whose beauty has exceeded his wildest hopes. Situations tense and thrilling follow fast and furious in these chapters of the screen version of Mary Hastings Bradley's well-known novel of romance and adventure in Cairo, on the sands of Egypt's desert, and on the river Nile. The programme also includes a two reels relicking Pathe Comedy, "Heavy Seas."

A BOMBAY SURPRISE.

HEAVY RAIN ON FRIDAY.

Bombay experienced a spell of wet weather yesterday. Thursday was so warm and sultry that it looked as if summer had set in. But Friday morning, had a surprise in store.

Since the early hours of morning there was continuous downpour till seven o'clock. Throughout the day drizzling continued turning the low parts of the city into little pools of water and flooding the streets. The drizzling ceased by about 3-30 p.m. and the sky was clear. But, again, by six o'clock the sky assumed a threatening atmosphere, followed by a heavy downpour accompanied with streaks of lightning.

Cloudy and threatening skies continued all through the night and though it was the first of the latter half of the lunar month, the moon was hiding throughout.

ALL-INDIA WEATHER

SIMLA, Jan. 29.

The western disturbance is entering India further south than usual and has caused a few falls of rain in Baluchistan, Rajputana and Gujarat.

Rainfall continued in the Peninsula and has been local in Konkan, North Hyderabad, South-east Madras and Madras Deccan with a few falls in Malabar and East of Central Provinces.

Temperature is high over the whole of North-west India.

The chief amounts of the rain are:—Jagdalpur three-quarters of an inch; Salem and Cuddapah a half; Cuddalore three and Kodaikanal three-quarters.

Forecast:—Extension in Baluchistan and Rajputana.—A.P.

TAMIL NADU CONGRESS COMMITTEE.

COUNCIL ELECTION PROPAGANDA

MADRAS, Jan. 27.

The Tamil Nadu Congress Working Committee at its last sitting resolved that a draft election manifesto of the Congress Party be adopted and published. It was further resolved that the President of the Committee be requested to visit all the districts for the purpose of re-organising various Congress Committee with reference to elections and general Congress work authorising him to issue an appeal for funds for the general work of the Congress in the province including election work. In the manifesto the Congress Party pledges itself to fight for Swaraj both in the Indian Legislative Assembly and in the Madras Council in all such ways and adopt all such means as may be determined upon from time to time by the Congress or the All-India Congress Committee. The policy of non-acceptance of office shall as resolved by the Congress be continued till a response satisfactory in the opinion of the Congress is given by Government to the terms of settlement referred to in the Cawnpore Congress resolution. The Congress party is pledged to an unrelenting struggle with Government using the method of obstruction and all other peaceful and legitimate resources available to awaken the nation on the issue of Swaraj as well as in the struggle for total prohibition. Its candidates will be pledged to courageous and persistent action until the goal is reached.—A.P.

FRANCE TO INCREASE CUSTOMS DUES?

LONDON, Jany. 28.

Paris.—Government has prepared a Bill which seeks to increase the customs dues by approximately 30 per cent. which is expected to yield 400 million francs. The Chamber during the past few days has been busy in the matter of procedure and, simultaneously, negotiations are going on behind the scenes to secure some agreement on fiscal measures in preparation for getting into grips with the problem as early as possible.—Reuter's Special.

WELLINGTON.

Art Acord, world's champion bronco rider and celebrated star of Western sensations comes to the Wellington Cinema (Dhobi Talao) to-night and this week in Blue Streak's new thriller, released by Universal. "The Circus Cyclone," as it is titled, is a new twist in a Western romance; the story of a circus troupe in a Woyoming plain, with cow punchers and bronco riders holding the circus peole in just as much awe as the circus people hold them—and out of it is evolved a romance with battles and thrills, a charming story of a range rider and one of the most remarkable mob scenes that has been screened in many years.

This week, at the Wellington Cinema, there is a double programme, and besides the above picture. The Rogottas are presented in their acrobatics, dancing and musical acts Miss Hensie, a girl of only ten years performs some circus feats, while Mrs. Rogotta shows some of the musical instruments. Though it is a double programme, no increase is made in the prices.

WEST-END.

"Peacock Feathers," the Universal Jewel showing at the West-End Cinema (New Churney Road) to-night and this week is usual and exceedingly well done in both plot and acting. The story is told dramatically, with crises building up to a strongly dramatic denouncement. Each scene is a perfect specimen and the story does not wander but drives relentlessly and at times ruthlessly direct to a smashing exective end

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FIRST AID CLASS FOR WOMEN

Under the auspices of the Mahila Mandal, Parel (the Women's Branch of the Social Service League, Bombay, a Women's First-Aid Class will be opened to-day (Saturday), at 2-30 p.m. (S. T.), at the Damodar Thakersey Moolji Hall, Poibawadi, Parel. Dr. S. W. Patil, will conduct the class. The subject will be taught through Marathi, and no fees will be charged. The class is open to all ladies intending to attend regularly every Saturday till the course is completed.

BOMBAY PROV. CONGRESS COMMITTEE

All those Congress Members who desire to spare their time and energy in serving any one of the following Sub-Committees, are requested to send their names and addresses to the Joint Hon. Secretaries, Bombay Provincial Congress Committee, "Congress House", 223, Girgaum Back Road, on or before the 4th prox.:—Depressed Classes Sub-Committee, Volunteer Board, Library Sub-Committee, Khaddar and Swadeshi Propaganda (Arts and Crafts), Labour Sub-Committee, and Oversea Sub-Committee. The selection will be made finally by the Council of the Bombay Provincial Congress Committee out of the various names received.

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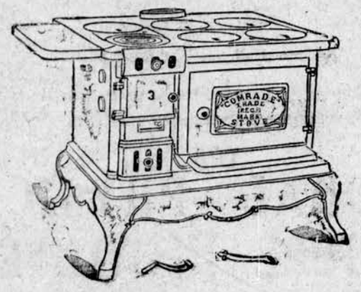

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TO-DAY'S RACES.

SELECTIONS BY SENEX.

THE MULUND PLATE. Division I.—Distance 6 furlongs. 2.45 p.m.
KADIR HAJAZ 1
REHEARSAL 2
BUCKNELL 3

THE MULUND PLATE. Division II.—Distance 6 furlongs. 3.15 p.m.
KOWKAB 1
COMMANDER 2
MAHMOOD 3

THE KINGSCLERE PLATE.—Distance 5 furlongs. 3.45 p.m.
POET'S DREAM 1
PROSE AND VERSE 2
SHINGLED 3

THE AINTREE PLATE.—Distance 1 mile. 4.45 p.m.
JOVIAL 1
CHURCHTOWN 2
VOLTOL 3

THE HAYDOCK PARK PLATE.—Distances 1½ miles. 4.15 p.m.
ROCK ROSE 1
DESERT GOLD 2
EZE 3

THE PERTH PLATE.—Distance 1¼ miles. 5.15 p.m.
RABALTO 1
AUDLEM 2
MARYLAND 3

THE DANEBURY HANDICAP.—Distance 6 furlongs. 5.45 p.m.
KASER GIRL 1
CINTRA 2
CASTOR BRIDGE 3

THE TANSA PLATE.—Distance 1½ miles. 6.15 p.m.
APOLLO 1
AFTAB 2
MAYIAH 3

SELECTIONS BY LUCKY LAD.

THE MULUND PLATE. Div I.—6 Fur.
AFTAB 1
BUCKNELL 2
BUTTERFLY ..... Fluke.

THE MULUND PLATE. Div. II.—6 Fur.
KOWKAB 1
COMMAADER 2
MAHMOOD ..... Fluke.

THE KINGSCLERE PLATE.—5 Fur.
SHINGLED 1
LUCKYMAN 2
PROSE AND VERSE ..... Fluke.

THE HAYDOCK PARK PLATE.—1½ miles.
RADHAPIARI 1
DESERT GOLD 2
MENDY ..... Fluke.

THE AINTRE PLATE.—1 Mile.
CHURCH TOWN 1
JOVIAL 2
LUCKY LAD ..... Fluke.

THE PERTH PLATE.—1¼ Miles.
MARYLAND 1
ALDERGROVE 2
RABALTO ..... Fluke.

THE DANEBURY HANDICAP.—6 Fur.
CASTOR BRIDGE 1
CINTRA 2
WOOER ..... Fluke.

THE TANSA PLATE.—1½ Miles.
VAZIR-UL-MULK 1
COSSACK 2
AMANRA ..... Fluke.

DOUBLE—
AFTAB & KOWKAB.

TREBLE—
CHURCHTOWN, MARYLAND & CASTOR BRIDGE.

CRICKET IN AUSTRALIA

Sydney.—In an Inter-State match the New South Walse beat Victoria by an innings and 96 runs. New South Walse made 708 (Collins, making 143, Kippax 271 not out, and Kelleway 68. Victoria replied with 290 runs (Ponsford making 79 and Woodful 126, and Everett taking four wickets for 57), and in the second innings, compiling 322 of which (Ponsford made 138, and Everett took five wickets for 91).

It is unofficially reported that Arthur Richardson (South Australia) and Woodful and Ellis (both of Victoria) will complete the team to tour England with Everett as the 16th man if the number is extended. —Reuter's Special.

HARD COURT TENNIS.

PRESIDENCY CHAMPIONSHIP.

The increasing popularity of the Bombay Presidency Hard Court Tennis Tournaments inaugurated by the Hindu Gymkhana only three years ago is evident from the enormous number of competitors in this year's competitions. Sixty-one competitors including a set of well-known players, S. S. Desai, U. D. Ranga Rao, R S. Raja Iyer, M. P. Bhagwat are contesting for the single title.

31 pairs have entered for the Men's double and 13 couples for the Mixed Double. The entries for the Ladies' singles is rather disappointing, only half-a-dozen having ventured to play.

SINGLES.

Lucuas Banyan, Bye.
Girdhardas Liladhar vs. N. R. Soman.
C. Gonsalvis vs. B. S. Koimtur.
M. M. Gunderia vs. Prince Ghanashyamsinghaji.
N. R. Suvarna vs. R. S. Raja Iyer.
R. Puthkoti vs. S. S. Desai.
D. M. Khatau vs D. G. Powar.
B. Sundarum vs. R. Wasantrao.
S. G. Gore vs. B. S Mujumdar.
U. D. Ranga Rao vs. V. S. Mujumdar.
J. W. Harvey vs. C. M. E. Warner.
P G. Gollerkari vs. M M Nadkarni.
H. B. Deshpande vs. Sitaram A Shete.
Anandji Kanji vs. B. H Khardekar.
N. B. Doss vs. L C Gandhi.
Y. S. Tambe vs. H. Tyabji.
D. N. Khandke vs. K R Gunjikar.
N. P. Gangoli vs. K P Gandhi.
R. N. Bhagwat vs. K C Kharpure.
M T Patel vs. A R Manerikar.
M. Okasaki vs. A M Kati.
B M Gole vs. N B Bhagvat.
M M Pandya vs. S Noguchi.
M G. Kamat vs. V B Pannalal.
P. Powell vs D V Vartak.
M. Pandurangrao vs. D M Mehta.
D P. Jeejeebhoy vs. R K Sanghani.
B. D. Jog vs. B S Chalam.
R B Tilak vs. Ramnath Chopra.
A. C. Pereira vs. V V. Bhadkamkar.
R. D. Pendse, Bye.
A. A A. Fyazee, Bye.

MEN'S DOUBLES.

R. K. Sanghani & M. W. Velkar vs. Girdhardas Liladhar & D. M. Khatau.
N R Soman & Partner vs. C Rodrigues & P. Powell.
N. B. Bhagvat & S. S. Desai vs. H. Tyabji & Partner.
B. Sundarum & Partner vs. K R Gunjikar & Partner.
B. S. Koimtur & M M Nadkarni vs. R. Puthkoti & Partner.
P. W. Velkar & Partner vs. D G Powar & Partner.
V. S. Muzumdar & Partner vs. C. Gonsalves & Partner.
B. S. Mujumdar & Partner vs. N. F. Naoroji & M. K. Powwala.
D. N. Khandke & Partner vs. D. P. Jeejeebhoy & Partner.
Karmarkar & Menon vs. M. Okasaki & Noguchi.
Anandji Kanji & D. S. Wagh vs. M. T. Patel & Partner.
G. M. Gole & D V Vartak vs. A M Kati & N. R. Suvarna.
Arnold Bell & C. Cunningham vs. R. A. Wagle & Rajaram Murarji.
B. Chalam & Partner vs. Prince Ghanashyam Singhji & Mr. U. D. Ranga Rao.
B H Khardekar & Partner vs. D M. Mehta & M. M. Mehta.
G. S. Baxi & B. P. Shastri, Bye. t

MIXED DOUBLES.

Miss L Talyarkhan & M Powwala, Bye.
Mr. Girdhardas Liladhar & Partner vs Prince Ghanashyam Singhaji & Partner.
Mrs. Race & Partner vs Miss Hyam & M. M. Mehta.
Mr. D. M. Khatau & Partner vs. Mrs. Row & R. A. Wagle.
Mr. E. Annet & Partner vs. Miss H B. Duke & Mr. Arnold Bell.
Mrs. Cooper & Mr. C. Gonsalves vs Lady Tata & Partner.
Mr. U. D. Rangarao & Partner Bye
Mr. D. P. Jeejeebhoy & Partner, Bye.

LADIES' SINGLES

Mrs. H. J. Kania, Bye.
Mrs. L. Race vs. Mrs. H. B. Clayton.
Mrs. G. C. Philips vs Miss A Hyams.
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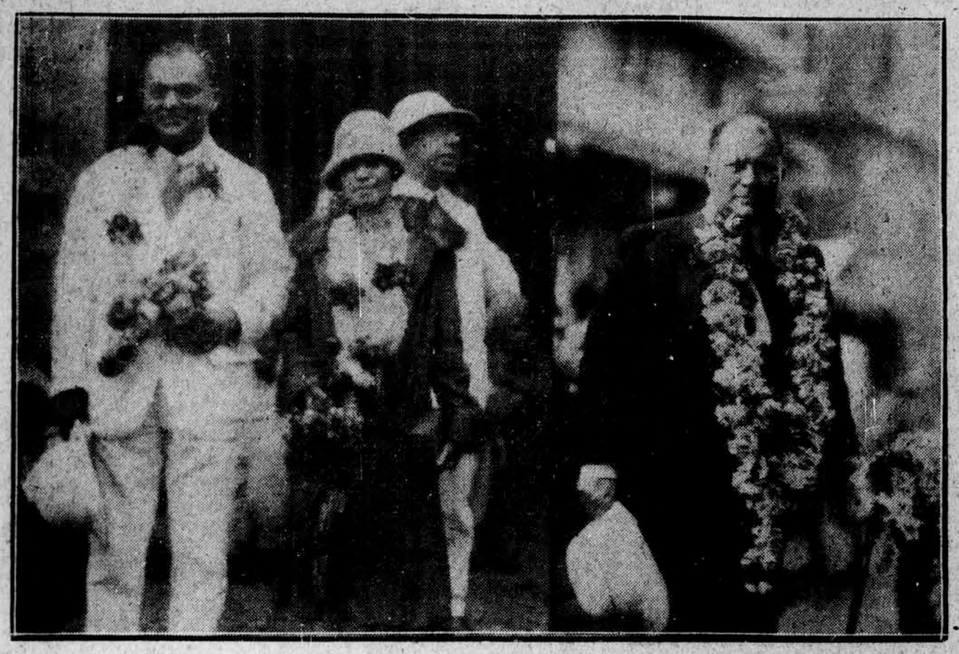

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Col. Gidney, the leader of the Anglo-Indian deputation to England, and Mr. F. E. Holsinger, ex-Editor of the "Indian Daily Mail", and Mrs. Holsinger were among the passengers who arrived in India yesterday from England by the P. and O. mail boat. Col. Gidney is seen on the right of the photograph and Mr. and Mrs. Holsinger on the left.

UNIVERSITY ELECTION.

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Dr. G. V. Deshmukh, the Congress candidate for the Bombay University seat in the local Legislative Council, addressing a crowded meeting of electors at the Marwadi Vidyalaya Hall, on Thursday evening.

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HIGH COURT.

A DASTARDLY OUTRAGE.

MUSLIM YOUTH SENT TO JAIL

A shocking case of rape on a 9-year old girl came up for hearing before the Hon. Justice Sir Lallubhai Shah and a common jury at the High Court Sessions.

Mr. I. S. Haji, Barrister-at-Law, appeared for the Crown; while the accused was defended by Mr. K. S. Chowdhury, Bar-at-Law of Rawalpindi, to whom special permission was granted by the High Court.

Considerable interest was created in the case by the revolting nature of the crime, and especially by the position of the accused who belongs to a respectable Muslim family and an undergraduate from the Aligarh University.

It appears that the victim of the outrage, Carmalene Fernandez, an Indian Christian girl aged 9 years, had gone to Mazgaon to see her aunt in October last. While she was returning home, the accused who was living next door asked her to sweep his room promising to pay her for her labour, to which she consented. No sooner, however, had she entered the room than the accused closed the doors and committed the dastardly outrage. The poor girl was removed to the hospital where she is still lying in a delicate condition suffering from paralysis. She indeed presented a pathetic figure as she lay on the table in the Court while giving evidence.

The defence was that this was a false story concocted by the girl's mother who bore ill-will towards the accused.

The jury having unanimously found the accused guilty, His Lordship sentenced him to four years' hard labour.

JAINS AND AHIMSA.

SEQUEL TO MAHARAJAH'S VIEWS ON MEDICAL EDUCATION

A Police Court prosecution that had aroused considerable interest in the Jain community came to a dramatic end on Friday when the complainant left the Court saying "I leave the Court if the accused swears that he had never uttered the insulting words complained of."

Mr. S. S. Rangnekar, Chief Presidency Magistrate thereupon ordered the accused to be acquitted.

The case was the outcome of the controversy that had agitated the Jain community as to whether it was consistent with their religious injunction of *Ahimsa* to allow Jain youths to go in for Western medical studies, which necessitated the vivisection of animals.

One of the religious heads of the Jain community Shri Kantivijayji Maharaja had raised the question. A number of students studying in the Grant Medical College were receiving help from the Jain charity funds. Shri Kantivijayji was against the practice as he thought it violated the principle of *Ahimsa*.

SUPPORT TO MAHARAJA'S VIEWS.

The complainant in the case Baloobhai Motichand was a follower of the Maharaja and supported his views in the columns of newspapers. This, alleged the complainant, had given offence to some persons amongst whom was Nemchand Manekchand, accused in the case.

On January 17, as the complainant was passing along Sheik Memon Street, accused came up to him and asked his as to why he was making all this noise in the newspapers. The accused further told the complainant that he was disgracing himself and was alleged to have gone further and used very abusive language about the Maharaja.

When the case was called up on Friday, in the course of the cross-examination, Mr. Kanuga, pleader for defence asked the complainant as to whether he knew that accused had taken what is known by the Jains as the Fourth vow and as such the accused was expected not to utter falsehood.

"Well, I leave the Court if the accused swears he had never uttered the words complained of. I withdraw the case" replied the complainant and left the Court.

Upon the accused's swearing to that effect, the Magistrate acquitted the accused.

DRIVEN TO DESPERATION

SEQUEL TO UNEMPLOYMENT

How a long period of unemployment drove an Anglo-Indian youth to desperate ends that finally launched him to pail was narrated in the Second Presidency Magistrate's Court on Friday. Asked by M. H.P.H. Dastur, the Magistrate as to whether he would pay a fine of Rs. 500 for illicit possession of opium, Albert Fairman, the accused, burst out pathetically "If I had Rs. 500, I would not be doing this work. The fact is I can't make both ends meet.

Albert Fairman along with a European Daniel Burchell stood charged with illicit possession of opium.

Excise Inspector Fernandez Velloz who prosecuted stated that the accused were challenged at "N" Shed Prince's Dock on Thursday night, and when searched opium was found concealed round their waists.

The accused were convicted and sentenced to two months' hard labour each.

VISHWA BHARATI EXHIBITION

ALLEGATION OF CHEATING AGAINST ORGANISERS.

The Chief Presidency Magistrate issued an urgent summons against seven persons—S. B. Biswas, S. S. Sen, N. K. Chatterjea, T. H. B. Tiffin, J. C. Dighal, G. L. Sen Gupta, and U. C. Bannerjea—alleged to be organisers of the Vishwa Bharati Laxmi Exhibition on a charge of cheating preferred against them by D. B. Salaskar, agent of the Mysore Concert party.

The complainant in his information alleged that in November last one Kalyanraman was asked by the accused to arrange for professional singers for the Concert Hall of the Exhibition. A party of dancers along with Miss Nillamma and Master Chandra were engaged. The terms were that Rs. 1,800 for the dancing party, Rs. 1,500 for Chandra and Rs. 1,125 for Miss Nillamma were to be paid in full to the complainant as their agent in advance on the very day of their arrival in Bombay. The complainant stated that before he undertook to bring down the party to Bombay, he asked Sen, one of the organisers of the Exhibition whether the finances of the Exhibition Board were sound enough to bear the expenses. Sen referred him to Biswas and Chatterjea as the men who were financing the venture. Biswas assured him that he and Chatterjea were prepared to lose to the tune of fifty thousand rupees.

FROM POST TO PILLAR.

When the party came to Bombay, they were paid Rs. 600 as train fare and Rs. 500 for food and rent charges. But when he approached any of the organisers, he was sent from pillar to post and was advised to put faith in Biswas and Chatterjea.

On Saturday last when the complainant threatened Biswas with filing a suit and pressed for payment, as for a fortnight he had to borrow money and feed the performers Biswas was alleged to have referred the complainant to Chatterjea, telling that he had already handed a cheque for the amount. When the complainant went to Chatterjea he put him for a day by telling him that he was too busy.

"But when I went on Monday," proceeded the complainant in the information, "neither Biswas nor Chatterjea could be found. Then I saw the other accused who told me that they had already ordered payment to be made to me. I subsequently learnt that the accused are all adventurers and men without means. Had the accused not represented to me that they were men of means and would immediately pay all my dues, I would never have brought my performers to Bombay."

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LOCAL BANKS	Paid up Rs.	Last Divid.	Quotation Rs.	a.
Bank of India	50	8	71	12
Baroda	50	4	75	
Central Co-operative	50	7½	51	
Central	25	1½	23	
Eastern	£ 5	9 p.c.	77	8
Imperial	500	40	1440	×D
Imperial Contributory	½125	10	370	+D
Union	75	—	3	2
CEMENTS AND MANGANESE				
Bundi	10	—	9	4
Central India Mining	10	4-8y	31	8
Indian Cement O.	350	—	34	6
Katni Cement O.	100	—	42	8
Katni Cement D.	40	—	110	
Punjab Cement O	10	—	2	2
Shivrajpure	10	8—0	48	4
RAILWAY COMPANIES				
Ahmedabad Prantej	600	11 p.c	815	
Amritsar Pattis	100	10 p.c.	143	
Central Provinces	100	7½ p.c.	108	12
Dhond Baramati	100	6 p.c.	89	
Gujerat	100	5 p.c.	81	
Hoshiarpur Doab	100	5 p.c.	82	
Larkana	100	5 p.c.	71	+D
Mandra Bhon	90	5 p.c.	72	+D
Pachora Jammer	100	5 p.c.	75	— D
Sara Sirsiganj	100	5 p.c.	80	
Sialkot Narowal	100	5 p.c.	90	
Sind Light	100	6 p.c.	151	×D
Tapti Valley	500	8 p.c.	625	
Upper Sind Light	100	4 p.c	67	8
STEAMER COMPANIES				
Bombay Steam Navigation O.	250	—	143	
Bombay Steam Navigation P.	250	—	220	
Scindia Steam	30		8	3
ELECTRIC UNDERTAKINGS				
Ahmedabad Electricity	100	6 p.c.	75	+D
Andhra Valley O.	1,000		500	
Andhra Valley P.	1000	—	250	+D
Bombay Tramways O.	50	4	105	10
Bombay Tramways P.	50	7 p.c.	61	
Karachi Electricity	100	6	8	8
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Tata Hydro-Elec. O.	1,000	30	907	8
Tata HydroElec. P.	1,000	7 p.c.	870	×D
Tata Powef O.	1,000	—	440	
Tata Power P.	1,000	—	620	
PRESS COMPANIES				
Akbar	500	—	475	
Fort	475	—	200	
Harvey & Sabapathy	500	90-35	925	
Indian Cotton	125	20	225	
Manmad Manufacturing	250	—	210	+D
New Berar	500	80	655	
New East India	1,000	—	2500	
New Mofussil P.	400	40	552	8
New Prince of Wales	500	61	725	
Volkart U. P.	500	40	650	+D
MISCELLANEOUS COMPANIES.				
Alcock Ashdown	100	—	137	8
Belapur Co. Ltd.	75	—	8	
B. Burma T. Corporation Old.	125	7-8	440	8
B Burma T. Corporation New	50	6	128	12
Burma Corporation	10	0-6	13	2
Bombay Uganda	80	4-12	50	
British Burma Petroleum	100		5	8
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Indo-Burma Petroleum.	100		164	
Jost Engineering	50	7-8	75	+ D
Mckenzie	100	30 p.c.	300	+ D
New Union Flour Mills	100	—	80	
Port Canning	1,000	50	620	
Sardar Carbonic Gas	100	—	80	
Tata Iron Prof. 1st	150	6 p.c. y	104	
Tata Iron Prof.	100	—	30	8
Tata Iron Defd.	30	—	45	
Tata Iron and Steel Co. O.	75	—	16	
Thacker	50	—	100	
Telephone	50	1	24	
INSURANCE COMPANIES.				
Empire of India Life	50	22-8	700	
Jupiter	15	—	2	14
New India	25	1-0	14	4
Oriental Life	50	20 p.c.	850	
Vulcan	10	— 6y	2	8
MILLS.				
Ahmedabad Advance	100	12	380	
Alliance	100	—	40	
Apollo	50	—	9	
Assur Virjee	100	—	1	8
Berar Manfg.	200	30	200	
Bombay Cotton O.	500	15	337	8
Bombay Cotton P.	10	5 p.c.	5	
Bombay Dyeing etc	250	50	858	12
Bombay Industrial	100	—	11	
Bombay Woollen	100	—	70	
Bradbury	250	10	380	
Bradbury P.	250	7 p.c.	200	
Broach Fine Counts	250	..	32	
Century	100	20y	410	
Central India O.	100	16	460	
Central India P.	500	5 p.c.	400	
Ceylon	100	—	47	8
Colaba Land & Mill	100	7-8y	115	
Coorla	100	7y	147	8
Crescent	100	6	195	
Currimbhoy	250	—	350	
David	500	—	400	
Dawn	250	40	650	
Diamond O.	100	—	5	
E. D. Sassoon United O.	10	—	0 13	6
Ebrahimbhoy Pabaney	250	15y	250	
Edward Sassoon	200	—	140	
Elphinstone O.	100	—	28	4
Empress Edward	500	—	290	
Fazulbhoy	250	25	807	8
Finlay	100	4	122	8
Framjee Petit	1000	—	580	
Globe	100	—	37	8
Gokak	100	7	178	12
Gold Mohur	100	—	114	2
Hindoostan	1,000	100	1175	
Indian Bleaching, etc.	100	8	182	8
Indian Manufacturing	1,000	200	900	
Indore Malwa United	100	10	380	
Indian Woollen	50	—	2	
Jamshed O.	250	—	75	
Khatoorchand	500	—	75	
Khandesh	1,000	200	2200	
Khatau Makanjee	100	Nil	93	12
Kilachand	25	—	5	
Kohinoor	500	—	900	
Lakshmi Cotton	1,000	150	4850	
Madhorao Scindia	100	—	27	8
Madhowji Dharamsi	100	—	132	8
Madras United	250	15	425	
Maneckjee Petit	1,000	100	2050	
Mathradas	100	—	115	
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Morarjee Goculdas	1,000	80	2100	
Model Mills, Nagpur	250	—	128	12
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New City of Bombay	100	10	205	
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Standard	500	100	1235	
Swadeshi	100	12	450	4
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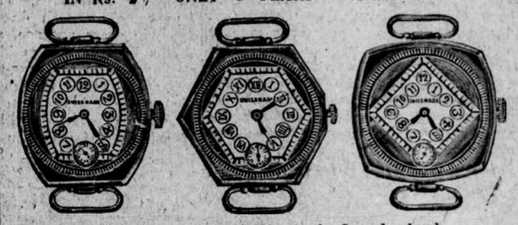

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PERSIA'S AMBITION.

The interest of His Highness the Aga Khan in Persia is more natural than known. Since the virtual self-banishment of Ahmed Shah and the rise of Reza Khan, he has been endeavouring to interest the Parsis believed to be capable of lending substantial support to the development of the country and who are keen on participating in the uplift of Iran. On his return to Bombay His Highness spontaneously gave expression to his views regarding the important part which the Parsis can now play in Persia to the representatives of the Press. Accordingly, Sir Hormusji C. Dinshaw, the President of the "Iran League", invited the Aga Khan to tea in order to introduce the members of the "Iran League" to His Highness. The Aga Khan, on the other hand, wished to entertain the entire "Iran League" at his "Lands End." Sir Hormusji, therefore, with a select number of the members of the "League" was entertained on the 22nd instant at an enjoyable unique function. Many prominent Parsis who would have very gladly availed themselves of this opportunity were absent on account of the opening ceremony of the New Hospital, where they were previously engaged.

Sir Hormusji, addressing His Highness and welcoming him again in Bombay, pointed out the highly important role which the Aga Khan played in the politics of the world and as a respected and most distinguished statesman in Islam. No Musalman country was likely not to benefit by his suggestions and his advice was sought after by many European Powers. It was not unknown to a few of the Parsis how His Highness had volunteered to enable some Parsis to tour through Persia some years ago. They had all gathered under the Aga Khan's roof, said Sir Hormusji, not so much for exchange of views as to receive suggestions from His Highness which they would most carefully ponder over. Sir Hormusji finally, amidst applause, asked the Aga Khan to accept the office of the Hony. Patron of the "Iran League."

AGA KHAN AS HON. PATRON OF LEAGUE.

His Highness replied, and his was the only other speech. He manifested his joy at meeting so many distinguished Parsis and to find that the influence and the energy of Sir Hormusji had induced such a large number of the community to join the "Iran League." The veteran and enterprising merchant had himself traversed all Persia at the age of 69, and had passed through Russia and reached Western Europe. Some 15 other Parsis had, in a short time, similarly been attracted to the old country. There was not, His Highness confessed, much security for travellers a short time ago. But after the rise of Reza Shah the state of affairs had changed, and security prevailed in the country. He was doubtful whether any fresh and heavy purely Parsi enterprise would not stand the chance of very great success in India owing to the awakening on the part of Hindus and Moslems. On the other hand, Parsi talents and mercantile capacity and general ability to the hard and virgin soil Persia, would benefit both the Parsis and Persia. The Aga Khan promised to do whatever he could to help forward the "Iran Movement." His Highness urged the members of the "Iran League" in particular to visit Persia by the Baghdad route which was the easiest and most convenient and which gave them an idea of the latent riches and the modern civilization of Persia. He accepted with pleasure and thanks the honorary office of Patron to the "Iran League."

There was a most interesting informal conversation in which the fate of the Asiatic countries and the possibilities of an Asiatic Federation were considered and rejected. On the other hand, the gradual westernisation of the countries like Turkey and Japan were pointed out as in some way a model after which the rest of the East, with necessary alterations, would profitably mould itself. The Aga Khan pointed out that Persia's ambition was to be a modern constitutional state like Sweden.

There were present among Moslem Persians, H. E. the Persian Consul Nawab Shah Rookh Yar Jung, Messrs. Deshdeshti, Hashan Isphani, Shushtaries, etc.

MARATHI VANGMAYA SEVAMANDAL

Under the auspices of the Vangmaya Seva Mandal, Prof. H. D. Velankar, will deliver a public lecture to-day at 5-30 p.m., at the hall of the Marathi Granth Sangrahalaya, Bhai Jivanjee Lane Thakordwar, on the subject, "Kalidas and Bhavbhuti." The lecture will be followed by a discussion.

SAUD-CLAYTON AGREEMENT.

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The Agreement negotiated with Sultan Ibn Saud by Sir Gilbert Clayton on behalf of the Government of Trans-Jordania is rather wider in its scope than the one recently concluded between the Nejd Government and that of Iraq, says the "Pioneer." Both agreements provide for the constitution of special tribunals for the peaceful settlement of frontier disputes, but the Nejd-Trans-Jordania Treaty, the full text of which is now available, also contains provisions for the benefit of both merchants and pilgrims. In one article it is agreed that free passage will be granted to pilgrims and other travellers through both countries; in another, exemption from customs and other duties is guaranteed to all merchants passing through Trans-Jordania between Syria and Nejd. An important undertaking is that given by the Nejd Government that they shall not establish any fortifications at Kaf, a frontier station. The correspondence which has passed between Sultan Ibn Saud and Sir Gilbert Clayton in order to elucidate the meaning of the word "fortifications" as it is intended to be applied in this article of the Treaty makes rather curious reading and is significant of the troubles a desert ruler has to contend with. Sir Gilbert Clayton finally wrote to Sultan Ibn Saud stating that the best interpretation of the article would be that which conformed to the spirit of the Agreement and rested on a sincere execution of its terms. For instance, he goes on to tell Sultan Ibn Saud if according to the custom in the desert for the prevention of thefts and raids "you desire to erect a wall of barracks for Public Security men other than military forces or a small gun or a few machine guns intended to repel brigands and aggressors, it will undoubtedly be open to you to do so, provided such preparations do not exceed the bounds of what is required for the maintenance of order, and do not constitute, in the judgment of the British military authorities, a menace to Trans-Jordania." Another article of the Agreement which provides that the representatives of the parties to it shall keep in constant communication in order to avoid misunderstanding over frontier incidents appears to be essential in the circumstances.

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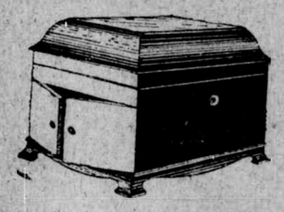

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Mr. Purushottam Bhailal Patel, LL.B, to be Second Class Subordinate Judge on probation and to do duty as Joint Second Class Subordinate Judge, at Cangamner.

Mr. R. C. Rodger to do duty as Assistant Superintendant of Police, Sholapur, vice Mr. A. W. Pryde.

Mr. A. W. Pryde, on relief, to act as District Superintendent of Police, Surat, vice Mr. J. W. Rowland, pending further orders.

Mr. J. W. Rowland, on relief, to be District Superintendent of Police, Satara, vice Mr. S. F. Ellis.

Mr. S. F. Ellis, on relief, to be District Superintendent of Police, Poona, vice Mr. I. C. Boyd, proceeding on leave.

Mr. H. P. O'Sullivan to act as District Superintendent of Police, Bijapur, vice Mr. M. A. O'Gorman, pending further orders.

Mr. M. A. O'Gorman, on relief, to act as District Superintendent of Police, Belgaum vice Mr. H. Stanley, pending further orders.

Mr. H. Stanley, on relief, to act as Deputy Inspector General of Police, Southern Range, vice Mr. K. C. Rushton proceeding on leave, pending further orders.

Mr. E. E. Turner, on return from leave, to do duty temporarily as additional Superintendent of Police, Criminal Investigation Department, and thereafter to act as Deputy Inspector General of Police, Criminal Investigation Department, vice Mr. G. S. Wilson, proceeding on leave, pending further orders.

Mr. A. Finan, Superintendent of Police, Bombay City, is granted, with effect from the 30th November 1925, leave on average pay for eight months and on half average pay for five months and twelve days.

The services of Mr. J. R. Dhurandhar, are placed at the disposal of the Government of India in the Legislative Department with effect from the 6th April, 1926.

Mr. D. W. Kerkar, I.C.S., reported his arrival on 4th December, 1925, and has been appointed Assistant Collector, Ahmedabad.

Mr. Dhirajlal Kirpashankar Bhatt, on relief by Mr. W. N. Bakhtyar, to act as Huzur Deputy Collector, Ahmedabad, vice Mr. I. T. Almaula, pending further orders.

Mr. Ishvarlal Thakorlal Almaula, on relief, to do duty as District Deputy Collector, Surat, vice Mr. M. S. Jayakar, proceeding on leave.

Mr. G. W. McElhinny, I.C.S., to be Assistant Collector in Sind.

Mr. J. F. B. Hartshorne, is granted, with effect from 27th March, 1926 or the subsequent date on which he may be relieved, leave on average pay for eight months in combination with leave on half average pay for six months.

Mr. G. F. S. Collins, on relief by Mr. J. T. Lawrence, to do duty as Settlement Officer, Kanara.

Mr. E. A. Garland, Divisional Forest Officer, East Thana, is granted with effect from 29th April, 1926 or the subsequent date on which he may be relieved, leave on average pay for six months combined with leave on half average pay for six months.

Mr. R. W. Patwardhan is confirmed as Assistant Registrar of Co-operative Societies in the Bombay Presidency.

Mr. A. W. Marks, Inspector of Steam Boilers and Smoke Nuisances, is granted leave on average pay for six months with effect from the 23rd January, 1926, or the subsequent date of relief.

Mr. D. J. Asana, to act as acting Civil Surgeon, East Khandesh, vice Mr. P. A. Cordeiro, L.M. & S., B.M.S., proceeding on leave.

Maj. B. F. Eminson, Resident Medical Officer, St. George's Hospital, to act as Civil Surgeon, Hyderabad, vice Lieutenant-Colonel R. W. Anthony, proceeding on leave.

Maj. C. M. Plumptre, Presidency Surgeon, First District, to act as Resident Medical Officer, St. George's Hospital, vice Major B. F. Eminson, I.M.S.

Lieut.-Col. W. M. Houston, Health Officer of the Port of Bombay to act as Presidency Surgeon, First District, with attached duties, in addition to his own.

Maj. S. S. Vazifdar, Physician, J. J. Hospital, to be Superintendent, in addition to his own duties, vice Lieut-Col. T. S. Novis.

Mr. R. Haines, Executive Engineer, Fuleli Canals Division, is granted leave on average pay for seven months, with effect from the 6th April, 1926 or subsequent date of relief.

Mr. H. J. Gleeson, Acting Executive Engineer, Thana Division, is granted leave on average pay for four months with effect from the 15th April, 1926 or the subsequent date of relief.

AGRICULTURAL OUTLOOK.

The following is the General Summary of the season reports of the Presidency for the week ending January 26th:—

Harvesting of Kharif crops nearly completed. Picking of cotton in progress in parts of Sind, Gujarat, Deccan and Karnatak. Standing crops generally in good condition. Harvesting of early sown rabi commenced at some places. Supply of water for drinking generally adequate. Water for irrigation generally sufficient. Supply of fodder generally adequate Agricultural stock in good condition. Prices of food grains almost stationary.

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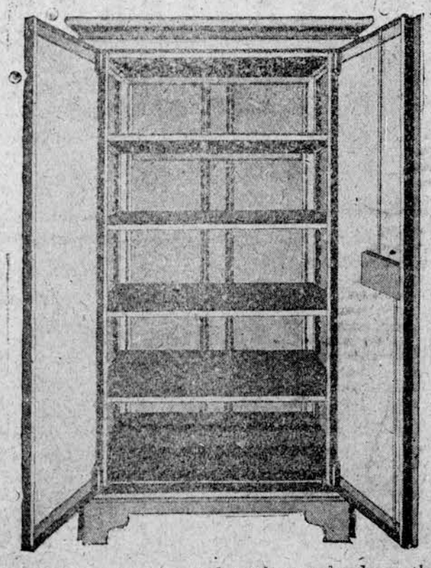

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In this case there are 19 Purdesis, accused of having raided a Marwari shop at Chembur, mercilessly belaboured him and looted his shop on the night of 22nd December, 1925.

The accused are all big fellows. A number of Purdesi women also of a burly size, probably the wives of some of the accused, were seated in the compound of the Court with melancholy countenance.

Khemraj Shrichand the Marwari victim deposed to the Magistrate holding enquiry into the case at Kurla that on the night of 22nd December he was sleeping in his shop. His two servants, Hassimal and Ramlal were also in the shop at the time. At about midnight when he woke to answer a call of nature, he saw through a back window two men standing under a mango tree and two others near the window talking in a low voice. He woke up his two servants and also called out for his neighbour, a Purdesi by the name of Kedarsingh. Two lamps were lit and Khemraj and his two servants came out of the shop and went on to the road. At this time Kedarsingh (afterwards made an accused person—No. 8) told the Marwari that as a number of dogs were barking at the end of the "wadi" (cart) the thieves must have fled by that way. The Marwari then with his two servants returned to their shop and went back to sleep and Kedarsingh also retired to his quarters. After about half an hour or so Janki the wife of Kedarsingh called out to the Marwari to see if there were any thieves about as she heard some persons talking on the road. The Marwari got up and woke his servants. He armed himself with a stick and gave a lantern in the hand of one of his servants and was about to unchain the door when he heard the banging at the door from outside. They tried from inside to prevent the door from being forced open and the Marwari thinking that he would have only four or five men to deal with, he together with his two servants and his neighbouri could easily put them to rout; so from his more advantageous position from inside he went on mercilessly slogging at the men with his stick. But a number of Bhaias broke open the side door and entered the shop and the Marwari was then over-powered and very severely beaten. His right arm was broken and his head battered. The servants seeing their master's plight sloped off by a back door and while Khemraj lay unconscious the robbers commenced their work of looting. They broke open a box containing ornaments new pots and new clothes. About five minutes after the Marwari lay unconscious he began to regain his senses, but he shrewdly pretended to be dead and could see how the predatory work was carried out. As soon as he was sure the robbers had left the house he cried aloud for help and then his run-away servants came back and also some neighbours came to his rescue. The Police Head Constable of Chembur also soon appeared on the scene as he was informed of the dacoity by a servant in a neighbouring bungalow.

The Head Constable of Chembur, Buchaji Appaji said on receipt of information about the dacoity he immediately proceeded to the Marwari's shop. Seeing him seriously injured he arranged to have him removed to the Kurla Hospital. He promptly telephoned to the Bombay Police stations about the dacoity. As a result of his telephone messages the Sub-Inspector of Mahim kept a police watch at the Sion Bridge. Here three Bhaias were arrested with silver and gold ornaments in their possession. They had also one white coat which had the dhobi mark "Mamma" on it. (The Marwari's nickname was Mamma.) Then they had a pair of silver bracelets with a Marwari pawn ticket attached to it.

Further evidence showed that the Mahim Sub-Inspector no sooner he had the three men in his trap he made prompt investigation resulting in the arrest of three more men and recovery of further property. All these six men together with the property recovered were duly made over by the Bombay Police to the Ghatkopar Police, who arrested thirteen more men.

Evidence was also brought to show that the Marwari and accused No. 8, Kedarsingh, who was a neighbour of his, were on bad terms with each other owing to Kedarsingh's wife Jankibai alleged to be carrying on a liaison with the Marwari. Ruganandan Shaligram a witness said he had seen with his own eyes Jankibai champooing the legs of the Marwari. The case is proceeding.

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